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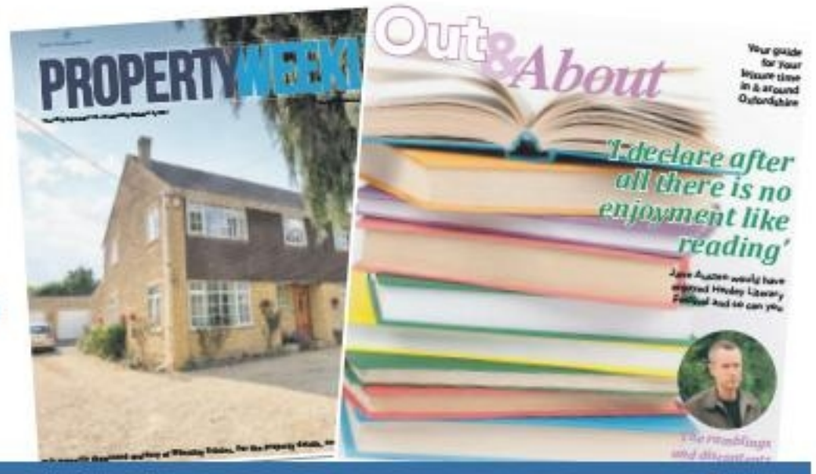

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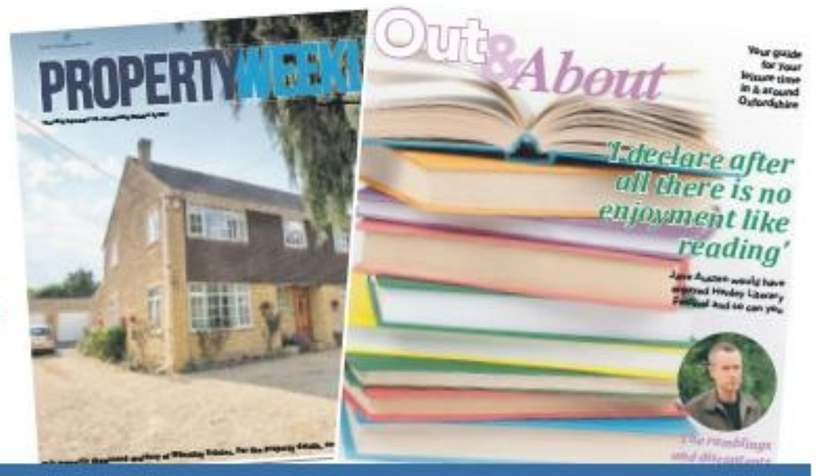

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'We will carry on building homes to meet urgent need'

By George Welch

THE district council has pledged to 'stick to the plan' and continue building thousands of homes, despite recent figures suggesting housing demand across the county has been over-estimated.

Up to 84 fewer houses would need to be built each year in west Oxfordshire under new measures being proposed to calculate the amount of new housing required in each district.

A new approach using government statistics based on projected housing growth and local affordability has been put forward that is expected to recommend the district provides 601 new homes a year.

Currently this figure is between 635 and 685 annually.

But West Oxfordshire District Council leader James Mills has re-emphasised the 'urgent' need for more homes in the area and stressed the importance of making sure the district's Local Plan is put in place as quickly as possible.

This means ignoring the latest proposed figures and continuing on with building 15,950 more homes by 2031, an average of 1,227 homes a year.

If 84 fewer homes were to be built in the district each year from 2018 up to 2031 (13 years) there would be 1,092 fewer projected homes in west Oxfordshire.

However, the council is keen to avoid any distraction from its Local Plan, which sets out a framework for managing the development in the district.

Cllr Mills said: "The Secretary of State has made it clear that where no Local Plan exists, the government will take control.

"Having a Local Plan in place gives us control and so we will no longer be subject to often inappropriate planning applications that have been causing us so much concern."

Following a cabinet meeting on Wednesday last week, further suggested changes to the Local Plan will now be sent to the inspector.

Former Labour parliamentary candidate Duncan Enright said the party 'broadly' supports the plan but that they want it to 'go further'.

A petition has been set up calling on WODC to use some of its reserves to build council housing and tackle the lack of affordable housing.

The west Oxfordshire Labour Party want to raise 1,500 signatures so the petition would automatically be scheduled for council debate.

Cllr Enright said: "We must get the local plan in as soon as possible – not having one is a problem.

"One of the biggest problems in west Oxfordshire is housing and, in particular, affordable housing. We must provide the local need for housing."

The petition can be signed at tinyurl.com/yc5kpbmg

Record year for LibFest

Witney mayor Chris Woodward and the LibFest team celebrate their fundraising efforts in honour of Liberty Baker, inset

THOUSANDS of pounds have been shared between charities following a record-fundraising festival in memory of a Witney teenager killed walking to school.

The LibFest team praised the town's generosity after revealing this year's total of £33,000 – the most in its three years.

LibFest was launched in 2015 to celebrate the life of Liberty Baker, a popular 14-year-old from Thorney Leys who died after being hit by a car in June the previous year while walking to Henry Box School with friends.

This year's charities receiving £11,000 each are Yellow Submarine, an Oxfordshire-based group which supports people with learning disabilities and autism; The Teenage and Young Adults Cancer Fund at the Churchill Hospital in Headington; and Oxford-based child bereavement charity SeeSaw, which benefits every year.

Robert Blackwell was sentenced to four years in jail in 2015 after admitting causing Liberty's death by dangerous driving.

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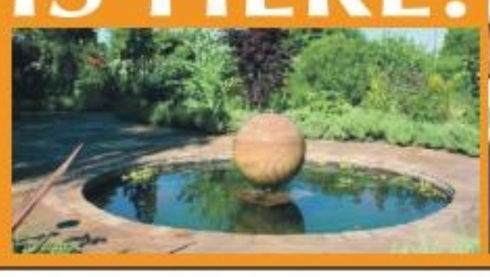

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Former student jailed for sex assault at club

Woman attacked in drink-fuelled incident at O2 Academy

By George Welch

A FORMER Oxford Brookes student who sexually assaulted a woman on a boozy night out in the city has been jailed for 13 months.

Fred Edwards was unanimously convicted last week of sexually assaulting the woman in her 20s on a dance floor at the O2 Academy in Cowley Road.

The former planning and property student will also be placed on the sex offenders' register for 10 years.

Edwards, 21 of Cowley Road, east Oxford, is already serving a year-long sentence after being convicted last month for punching a Spanish student so hard he fractured his jaw, also while on a night out in December last year.

CCTV footage showed Edwards, who was out with fellow university rugby club members, and the woman dancing together at the club's weekly 'Fishy Fingers' sports night.

Fred Edwards has been jailed for the attack at the O2 Academy

At around 1.30am on November 3 last year the pair shared a kiss and he lifted her up before putting his hand under her leotard.

Distressed, the woman fled to the toilets before reporting the incident to a security guard and leaving with a friend.

Edwards, who was later identified by police, claimed he didn't remember the event but denied assaulting the woman.

He was convicted of sexual assault after a five-day trial at Oxford Crown Court and was sentenced on Friday.

He will serve the sentence consecutively to his current one-year sentence for GBH, totalling 25 months behind bars.

Investigation officer Det Con James Macaro, from Force CID based at Oxford, said: "The sentencing of Edwards reflects the serious nature of the offences which amounted to an extremely distressing ordeal for the victim. I would like to commend her for her bravery in coming forward.

"Thames Valley Police takes all reports of sexual assaults extremely seriously and we would encourage you to report any offences.

"We have specially trained officers who will listen to you and deal with you sensitively."

Mental health provision affects abused children

ALMOST 19,000 children in Oxfordshire have suffered neglect or abuse due to a 'postcode lottery' in mental health services.

Research released earlier this week by children's charity NSPCC reviewed the strategies of local health bodies and revealed most are 'failing to plan' for adequate services that could support affected children.

The report also showed that an estimated 1.2 million children across England have been victim to abuse or neglect and are being 'let down' by this postcode lottery.

The report classed local authorities under green, amber or red to signify the lack of strategies to support mental health services for children who have experienced trauma, placing Oxfordshire in the amber category.

NSPCC trustee and clinical psychologist Professor Tanya Byron said many Clinical Commissioning Groups are setting themselves up to fail children who have already been abused.

She said: "It is unacceptable that despite the huge number of children estimated to have been abused, and the known link between abuse and mental health problems, the vast majority of our health services do not have a proper strategy for how to take care of these children.

"CCGs need to urgently review and improve their plans so that they are fully prepared to help children when they need it most.

"And Government needs to hold CCGs to account to publish high quality plans in a timely fashion every year."

Youths sought after 'article' thrown from carpark roof

POLICE are appealing for witnesses after youths threw 'an article' from the top of a multi-storey carpark.

Officers said at about 11.50am on Saturday, September 16, a group of around four or five youths threw an article from the top of Sainsbury's car park, onto Pioneer Square in front of Wildwood restaurant and Sports Direct.

The youths were aged between 12 and 14 years old.

PC Zoe Shuttleworth said: "Members of the public were walking in Pioneer Square at the time of the incident and near to where the article landed. This incident could have potentially seriously injured someone - it is lucky no one was hurt.

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Like ducks to water – free swimming lessons on offer

A SWIM school is offering free lessons after new research revealed that almost a third of all Oxfordshire children are leaving primary schools without basic water safety skills and unable to swim.

These young swimmers may have smiles on their faces but the owner of their swim school is 'alarmed' by the recent Swim England study.

Research by the national governing body for swimming found that, since 2012, only half of children aged between seven and 11 have met the required swimming standard.

The investigation also discovered that a third (31 per cent) of all pupils leaving primary school do so without being able to swim and without basic water safety skills.

Puddle Ducks owner Beccy Stenson said she was "really surprised" by the findings.

She said: "We believe that every child should have the opportunity to learn to swim, so we're inviting primary school-aged children to our local pools across Oxfordshire to enjoy a free swim academy lesson."

Puddle Ducks provide classes in Witney, Standlake, Abingdon and Sandford. For information call 01666 577377.

Enjoy a classic day out

CLASSIC car and vintage aeroplane enthusiasts are in for a treat this weekend.

The popular Sunday Scramble is returning to Bicester Heritage, the 'home of the classic car', this Sunday.

The 14th Sunday Scramble in Launton will give the public the chance to take in the sights and sounds of the UK's only business campus dedicated to the restoration, storage, maintenance and enjoyment of vintage vehicles and aeroplanes.

Visitors can enjoy exclusive entry into freshly restored buildings and brand new showrooms, giving a taster of what's to come next season.

Bicester Heritage is based on a former Second World War RAF site that was neglected for the best part of 40 years, finally being put on the 'at risk' register in 2008.

But since Bicester Heritage's tenure, nearly all of the buildings have been restored.

For more information, visit bicesterheritage.co.uk/events.

Visitors enjoy the Sunday Scramble in April. Pictures: *Autohouse London*

School awarded flagship status

By Samantha McGregor

A BICESTER secondary school has been given a national award for promoting inclusion for all pupils.

The Cooper School, in Churchill Road, confirmed it had been given Inclusion Quality Mark 'Flagship' status – the first school in Oxfordshire to achieve the accolade.

The award, an upgrade from the school's former 'centre of excellence status', celebrates the school's work to promote equal opportunities for all pupils, whatever their age, gender, ethnicity, attainment and background.

To get the award the school had to show how it supported different groups of pupils within school and helped any pupils who were at risk of "disaffection and exclusion".

Although more than 5,500 schools across the country have the IQM award, only about 100 have achieved flagship status.

Executive head teacher Ben Baxter said on Twitter: "Delighted with this award. First school in Oxon to achieve Flagship status."

In his report IQM Assessor Steve Gill said: "A school where all students are valued as individuals. This is clearly encapsulated in everything that happens here as a school and as a part of the local community.

"This is a school that is clearly at the heart of its community where inclusion is ingrained in the very fabric of the school and care, nurture and support is at the very heart of everything that occurs here, for staff and students alike.

"It is an extremely impressive, inclusive learning environment where students are encouraged to achieve their full potential, where everyone involved is committed to the inclusion of all students."

In order to achieve flagship status, the school had to meet a wide range of requirements, including pass two assessments, ensure IQM ethos was included in "collaborative activities", and ensure inclusion good practice processes were in place.

In July, The Cooper School retained its "good" status after an inspection by Ofsted.

A report by inspectors said they were "impressed" with its "calm and purposeful atmosphere" and "strong relationships" between pupils and staff.

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Pole attack threat to OAP and girls

A WOMAN in her 90s and two young girls were threatened with a metal pole in their home.

Three men are wanted in connection with the aggravated burglary in School View, Banbury, on Thursday, September 14, at about 6.10pm.

The three men entered the house and threatened the pensioner and two girls, aged 17 and 12, with a metal pole and demanded valuable items.

The men then carried out a search of the upstairs of the property but left without stealing anything.

None of the victims were injured in the incident.

Police are appealing for witnesses.

Detective Constable Sam Bonner, of Banbury Force CID, said: "This was obviously a very distressing incident for the victims, and I am appealing for anyone who has any information which could help our investigation to please get in touch."

Anyone with information should call police on 101 quoting reference 43170273680, or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

Traffic calming plan

A consultation has been launched on a new calming feature in Witney.

Plans include building a kerbed traffic island within the existing parking lay-by on the northern side of Burford Road, 30 metres west of its junction with Moor Avenue.

Comments on the proposals should be made by October 6.

Visit tinyurl.com/yddrutn8 for more details.

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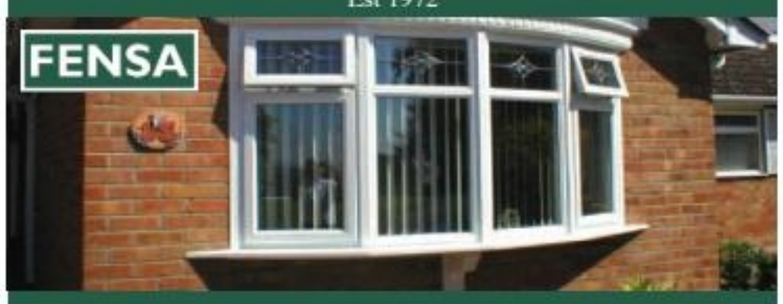

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Housing plan for primary site would cause 'traffic problems'

By Samantha McGregor

CONTROVERSIAL plans to convert part of a former primary school site into homes have been recommended for refusal by council officers.

Cherwell District Council's planning committee is due to decide today whether to give the green light to 10 residential properties and 15 car parking spaces on the western side of the former St Edburg's School site, in Cemetery Road, Bicester.

The development, just over a hectare in size, is in Bicester conservation area, but excludes the former school building and playground.

An earlier application by developer U+I, which was later withdrawn, put forward plans to convert the former school building into a restaurant.

In the planning statement U+I said the development would "optimise the potential of the site by creating up to 10 new homes within the redundant recreational grounds, which will also contribute to the district's housing need".

But a report for councillors said residents and organisations had raised a string of concerns.

Residents are concerned about the amount of extra traffic that would use Cemetery Lane

These included access, impact on the conservation area, increase in traffic and loss of green open space land.

Bicester Traffic Action Group, said: "Although the increase in traffic will be relatively small we consider that Cemetery Road is too narrow to cater for any extra traffic and there is the very real danger that drivers will have to mount the footway in order to pass, thereby causing a danger to pedestrians.

"Medium size commercial vehicles will only be able to access the site with extreme difficulty."

Cemetery Lane resident Dr Robin Lerner objected on the grounds of access and increased traffic.

He said the application needed more detail and a traffic assessment.

Dr Lerner added: "The proposals do not fit with Bicester's development plans, as the applicant proposes to remove community space without replacement.

"These houses are not required to meet the area's housing goals."

Bicester Town Council also raised concerns about access, green space and lack of parking.

It said: "The 10 houses will cause severe traffic problems as the access road is Cemetery Lane which is a narrow carriageway with a blind junction onto Kings End/Church Street.

"Construction traffic would have great difficulty gaining access to the site from Cemetery Lane due to the width restriction and there is no turning circle at the end.

"The construction traffic would also be hugely disturbing to the current residents in the lane, many of whom have doors opening directly onto the road and live in houses so old they do not have foundations meaning the vibration of heavy vehicles could have a very real detrimental impact upon their properties."

Last year the developer U+I unveiled plans for a 30-shop retail park to be built on sports land off Oxford Road.

U+I Group Plc said it had acquired sports fields and the former St Edburg's School site.

The application for the retail outlet has yet to be submitted.

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Europe cash boost

RURAL businesses looking for cash to back their ventures are invited to find out how European funding could help them.

Business owners will be able to hear about businesses and community schemes that have benefitted from LEADER funding, as well as details about other grants for rural projects.

The session starts at 2pm on Tuesday, October 10 at Standlake Village Hall.

Register to attend at tinyurl.com/y92d2p9j

Free flower bulbs

GARDENERS will be able to stock up their flower beds free of charge in a Banbury Town Council giveaway if they stop by People's Park on Saturday.

Up for grabs will be bedding plants including geraniums, begonias, marigolds and petunias.

The share out will be at the community garden in the park – near the Warwick Road entrance and next to Banbury Borough Bowls Club – and will run from 10am until midday.

Plants from the flower beds in Banbury Town Council's parks and open spaces will have been lifted to make way for the winter planting of the spring display, will be given on a first-come-first-served basis.

MP proud to be backing British farmers

WITNEY MP Robert Courts has thrown his support behind a national campaign to protect west Oxfordshire farmers from potentially disruptive Brexit talks.

The Conservative wore a pin badge made out of British wheat and wool as he scribbled his signature to give his backing to the Back British Farming campaign.

The event in Westminster was held by the National Farmers' Union (NFU) as a rallying call to MPs to support farming during a particularly crucial period for British farming as the Brexit negotiations begin.

Mr Courts said he recognises the 'vital' role west Oxfordshire farmers play in the local economy – farming in the district is worth £13million to the nation's economy and provides 700 jobs.

He added: "There are so many worthy reasons to support British farmers: they are responsible for securing our fantastic British food supply, looking after our world-renowned countryside and sustaining a dynamic rural economy.

"That is why I am proud to wear the NFU's Back British Farming pin badge in Parliament."

Homeless scheme will put Families First

A MAJOR new scheme designed to tackle homelessness in west Oxfordshire has been given the green light.

The Families First project will work with families and couples in a bid to prevent homelessness happening in the first place.

The move is in response to a change in the reasons for homelessness in the district.

New figures show that, between April 2015 and March this year, 42 per cent of people applying to West Oxfordshire District Council for help with homelessness was due to parents/relatives being unwilling to accommodate adult children. A further 21 per cent was as a result of the breakdown of relationships.

Both of these reasons increased during the two-year period.

As a result, as part of the new scheme, a project officer will work with families where there is a risk of homelessness occurring.

Funding will also be provided for family/relationship counselling and possible accommodation adaptations to allow different generations to share property more comfortably.

Councillor Colin Dingwall, cabinet member for housing at WODC, said: "As a council we have a statutory responsibility to help the homeless but this new scheme is designed to prevent it happening at the outset.

"Families living in the district are under increasing pressure when it comes to accommodation due to high house prices and population growth and Families First will be a key part of our efforts to tackle homelessness."

Families First will be funded by the government's Flexible Homelessness Support grant, which replaced the Temporary Accommodation Management Fee.

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Roadshow offers tips to help you stub out

By Eva Astreinidou

SMOKERS are being challenged to help 'improve life expectancy' while saving around £3,000 a year by quitting.

Oxfordshire County Council's Smokefreelife Oxfordshire hosted a special Stoptober-themed clinic at Abingdon market last week with more to come.

The event highlighted the benefits of going smoke-free and provided advice on quitting aids.

Research shows that when smokers give up for 28 days they are up to five times more likely to stay smoke-free for good – and can also put some serious cash back into their wallets, on average £250 a month according to NHS figures.

Cabinet member for public health, Cllr Hilary Hibbert-Biles, said: "Smoking remains the leading cause of preventable death in the UK and contributes to around 100,000 deaths each year.

"While smoking rates have fallen steadily in Oxfordshire and are below the national average, one in eight people are still lighting up in the county – which amounts to a lot of smokers.

"We're supporting Stoptober because it's vital we encourage Oxfordshire residents to make healthy choices.

"Quite simply, stopping smoking is the single biggest thing you can do to improve your life expectancy."

Inviting others to join the challenge, Leena Sankla, director of public health and lifestyle services, said: "We are passionate about giving smokers the best possible chance to quit and hope that lots of people come and find out what we can offer by talking to the staff at our event.

"There will be lots going on and I'd encourage everyone, smoker or not, to come and enjoy the entertainment and learn about the support available through Smokefreelife Oxfordshire."

Smokefree Oxfordshire will also be at Templars Square Shopping Centre, Cowley on October 6 and outside Castle Quay Shopping Centre, Banbury on October 9. All events run from 10am to 3pm.

Mailman Pete 'posted' to Albania on exercise

OXFORD residents are used to seeing him dart between homes delivering letters and packages, but for two weeks Oxford postman Pete Dandy swapped his mail-bag for an SA-80 rifle.

Also known as Leading Aircraftman Dandy, for the past three years Pete has been a part-time RAF Regiment Reserves Gunner and this month was on a major exercise in Albania.

The 49-year-old former actor-turned-postie joined 606 Squadron based at RAF Benson when he found out he was not too old for this new challenge.

He said: "I wanted to show my kids that in life anything is possible so this was an opportunity too good to be missed."

A devoted family man with 11-year-old twins, Pete said his RAF role keeps him in great shape for his job with the Royal Mail.

Speaking while in the Balkan country, he said: "My kids are really excited for me to be here in Albania. It's the first time I've been overseas with the RAF.

"The heat is very challenging, especially because of all the kit we have to wear and carry. But it's great fun.

"A few weeks after I get home I'll be off again with the RAF but next time it will be coasteering in Cornwall. I can't wait."

Joining Albanian soldiers from the Third Infantry Battalion were more than 130 Royal Air Force part time Reservists from 18 RAF stations across Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Reserves exchanged skills, ideas and tactics in airfield defence with their Albanian counterparts on the exercise which ended last Thursday.

Motorcyclist killed after colliding with van

AN elderly motorcyclist died after he collided with a van and was hit by another bike just outside Oxford.

The rider hit the stationary van in lane one of the A420, close to the A34 Botley Interchange in Oxford, at about 4.30pm on Friday.

The 72-year-old from Warwickshire, named locally as RAF veteran Mike Dobbin, fell from his bike and was struck by another which was travelling in lane two.

He was confirmed dead at the scene and his next of kin and the Oxfordshire coroner have been informed.

The second motorcyclist was taken to hospital and has been released. The van driver was uninjured.

No one has been arrested but officers at Thames Valley Police are appealing for witnesses.

Senior investigating officer, Sgt Jack Hawkins of the Joint Operations Roads Policing Unit, based at Abingdon, said: "Our thoughts remain with the man's family at this very difficult time.

"We are appealing for anyone who witnessed this road traffic collision to come forward and call 101 quoting reference 970 22/9/17."

Sabine Schwaebisch gets in some practice

Inspired to run for families

A CHILDREN'S nurse will run the Oxford half marathon to raise money for families going through 'heart-breaking times'.

Hospice nurse Sabine Schwaebisch from Abingdon will run past the city's famous landmarks to raise funds for Helen & Douglas House, where she works to support terminally ill children and their families, for the last five years.

She said she hopes to raise £200 for the charity.

She said: "[During my time here I have seen] every day what a difference Helen & Douglas House makes to people.

"I love my work and feel very rewarded when a child has had a great stay with us and their parents feel recharged.

"Helping families feel less alone and scared in heart-breaking times is a huge privilege and they deserve all the support possible. I will give my best on the day feeling inspired by the determination and love of those we look after."

Sabine has previously taken part in two of the Helen & Douglas House Rainbow Runs, but has never run a half marathon before.

She has now decided to take part and push herself to new limits on October 8, aiming for a time of just over two hours.

To help Sabine beat her target, visit www.justgiving.com/fundraising/sabine-schwaebisch.

'Highly-intelligent' student avoids jail

Suspended sentence for stabbing ex-boyfriend

By Eva Astreinidou

AN Oxford student who a judge suggested was 'too bright' for prison was spared jail for stabbing her boyfriend.

Lavinia Woodward, 24, was given a 10-month suspended prison sentence on Monday for stabbing her ex-boyfriend.

She pleaded guilty to unlawfully wounding her partner at a hearing in May. Medical student Woodward attacked her then partner last year after a drinking binge at her university accommodation at Christ Church College, Oxford Crown Court heard.

She stabbed her ex-partner in the leg, cut his fingers with a bread knife and hurled a laptop at him.

Sentencing, Judge Ian Pringle QC said Woodward was 'genuinely remorseful'

He said: "There are many mitigating features in your case. Principally, at the age of 24 you have no previous convictions of any nature whatsoever.

"While you are clearly a highly-intelligent individual, you had an immaturity about you which was not commensurate for someone of your age."

He added: "As the reports from the experts make clear, you suffer from an emotionally-unstable personality disorder, a severe eating disorder and alcohol and drug dependence.

"Finally, and most significantly, you have demonstrated over the last nine months that you are determined to rid yourself of your alcohol and drug addiction and have undergone extensive treatment including counselling to address the many issues that you face."

After the sentencing, the Dean of Christ Church, the Very Revd Professor Martyn Perry, said: "As a college we are concerned for the welfare of all our students, and it is clearly a matter of regret and sadness when any young person blights a promising career by committing a crime.

"Ms Woodward is not currently studying at Oxford, having voluntarily suspended her medical studies. The question of her future will now be decided by the university, which has procedures in place where a student is the subject of a criminal conviction."

InBrief

Poundland inquest likely to be delayed

THE inquest into the death of a father-of-two who was stabbed in Poundland could be delayed until February.

Justin Skrebowski, who lived in Sunnymead, was buying balloons for his wife's birthday when he was stabbed by schizophrenic drug addict Trevor Joyce on December 7, 2015.

The pre-inquest review, where family and legal representatives meet to discuss the scope of the inquest, was held on Monday and a date originally set for the full inquest to begin on November 13.

Coroner Darren Salter said this date was doubtful due to the amount of witnesses and evidence.

Autism switch off

SHOPS at Templar Square shopping centre will turn down the music and dim the lights to support the millions of shoppers who suffer from autism.

According to the National Autistic Society, 64 per cent of autistic people and their families avoid going to the shops due to the overwhelming sights and sounds.

So NewRiver, which runs Templars square, pledged to support NAS's Autism Hour at 11am on Monday by providing shoppers with autism a break from the overload of 'too much information'.

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Is your postcode one of lucky lottery winners?

LUCKY lottery players in Didcot are set to get a lot richer after it was announced a postcode in the town was the winner of a £3million prize pot.

Excitement intensified across the OX11 8 area last week as word spread that Didcot was the People's Postcode Lottery winner for September.

All residents who have a ticket within the postcode will share the money – but they don't yet know how much they will each get.

Winners have received invitations to an event at Milton Hill House in Steventon on Saturday where the proceeds will be divvied out.

However, it has been revealed that everyone will go home with at least £2,000.

The full winning postcode will also be announced on Saturday, with those who live there receiving the largest share of the cash.

People's Postcode Lottery ambassadors Jeff Brazier and Judie McCourt will host the event and hand out the cheques on the day.

Mr Brazier said: "I can't wait to meet our fantastic winners from Didcot this weekend.

"Players of People's Postcode Lottery have raised a phenomenal amount of money for charity so well done to them all and good luck."

A minimum of 31 per cent from every ticket goes directly to charities. More than £229m has been raised so far towards more than 3,000 good causes across Great Britain and internationally.

Driver drank beer while on the M40

A VAN driver has been banned from driving after police found him swigging a bottle of beer while driving along the M40 last week.

Officers stopped 22-year-old Tibor Zsiga, of Dosza Gyorgy, Hungary, when he was behind the wheel of a Renault van on the motorway near Thame.

Police investigated following reports of bad driving on Monday last week and officers found a half-empty bottle of beer.

Zsiga refused to be breathalysed and was arrested.

He provided a specimen of breath that contained 51 mcg of alcohol in 100ml of breath when in custody. The legal limit is 35mcg.

He appeared at Oxford Magistrates' Court on Tuesday last week, where he was disqualified from driving for 15 months, fined £165, ordered to pay £85 in costs and a victim surcharge of £30.

Picture: TVP / @tvprp

Walkers step out for charity

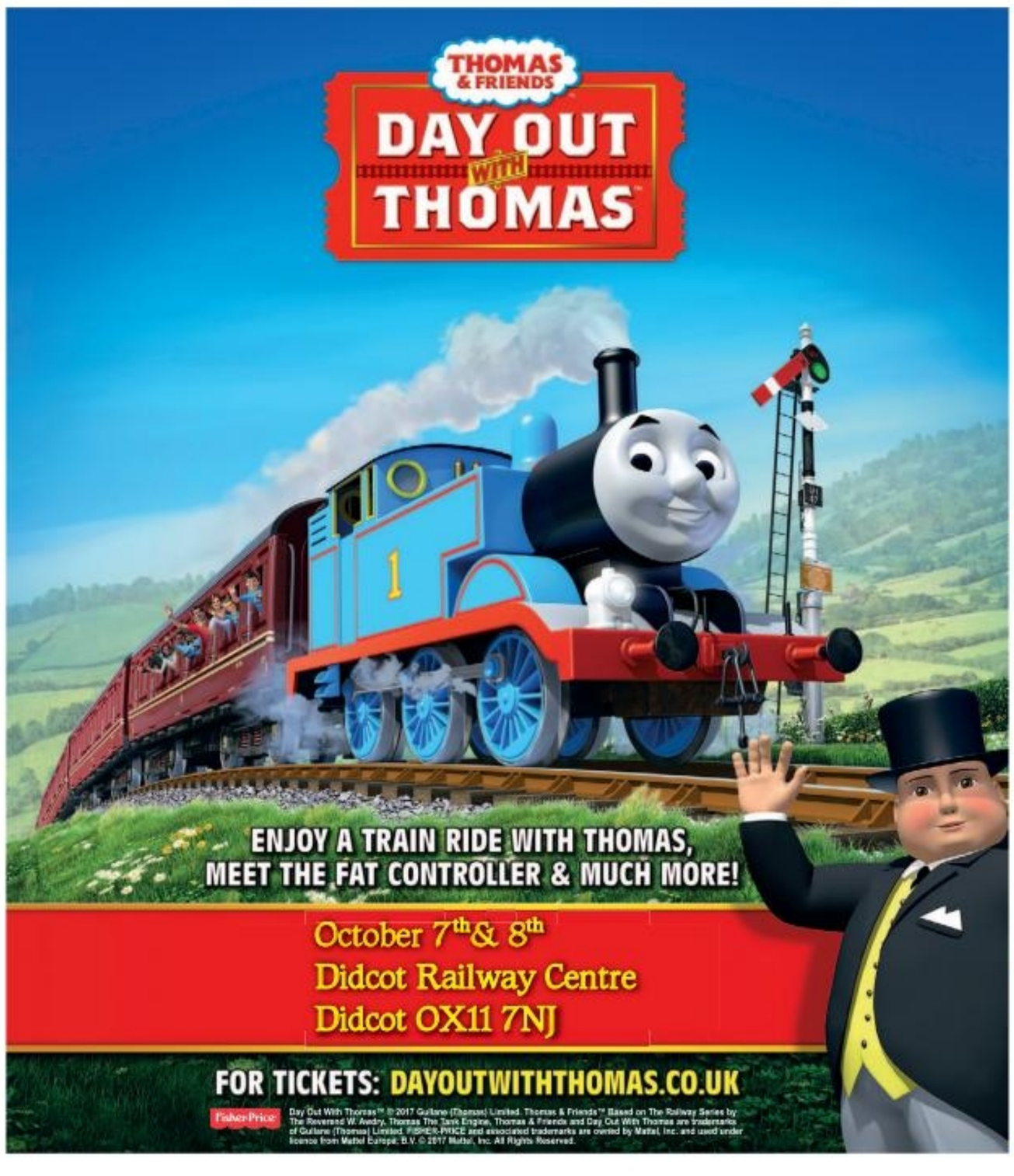
A LOVING husband and wife cut the ribbon to start a major charity event in the name of Alzheimers.

More than 1,500 walkers took part in this year's Oxford Memory Walk on Sunday, helping raise awareness and funds for the Alzheimers Society.

Mike Fry and his wife Dot, who has dementia, kicked off the event at Oxford University Parks. It is the second memory walk the couple, both 77, have taken part in.

Mike said: "Dot's words can get muddled and she can find it hard to hold a conversation.

"Despite the challenges, we still try to get out as much as possible to meet new people and keep active. We used to enjoy walking holidays, which is one of the reasons we signed up to the Oxford Memory Walk."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Mike and Dot Fry started the memory walk on Sunday
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Workshops to help fathers be more involved

By George Welch

A NEW workshop to help dads tackle sexism has been set up.

Feminism for Dads is part of a project to build a network of dads who can drive change at home, at work and in their communities to create a more balanced and equal world for their children.

The workshops, run by consulting group Threads Equality Agency, will explore how feminism can be useful for dads to navigate the trials of parenting, rather than as a set of rules that tells men they are wrong.

The goal is to invite men into the conversation about gender equality.

Threads' founder Monique Ewen said: "There is a new generation of dads who want to be more involved in their kids' lives.

"They want to be supportive partners and set an example for what it means to be caring and nurturing as a man.

"But there is no blueprint for that, so these workshops are really about empowering men to be the kind of fathers they want to be."

The participant-focused workshops will focus on how to be a good role model, how to counter sexism and how to be caring and nurturing as a man and father.

The first of two workshops will take place at West Oxford Community Centre at 9am on October 7. The second is scheduled for the same time at Rose Hill Community Centre on October 21.

Present and future dads are welcome, including stepdads, foster dads, adoptive fathers and LGBTIQ parents.

Tickets are priced at £12.50 for unwaged, £17.50 for waged and £22.50 for better waged.

Visit tinyurl.com/y89u2uwx for tickets and more information.

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Man rescued from car flipped in ditch

FIREFIGHTERS freed a man from a car that had flipped and crashed into a ditch.

The trapped man was rescued at around 3am on Sunday after his car crashed into trees, spun on its side and became wedged in the ditch between Buckland and Bampton.

Fire crews cut open the roof of the car to free the man, who avoided serious injuries.

Station manager Simon Belcher said: "The crews did a fantastic job in a difficult situation, the car was on its side down a ditch and the driver was trapped inside. This was a tricky rescue handled extremely well."

Watch manager Ed Maloney added: "A safety lesson from this incident is that we should all drive according to the nature of the road, slow down and make sure you can always stop safely."

Recycling advice

RECYCLING experts from Cherwell District Council are out on the road this week promoting their green message.

The team will be at Exeter Hall in Kidlington today, Bicester market tomorrow, and Banbury Canal Day on Sunday.

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Exploring sight loss and sleep

By Eva Astreinidou

A WOMAN who started losing her vision from an early age is taking part in vital research to help understand the link between eyesight and sleep.

Lori Riley, 66, from Chipping Norton, was having trouble recognising faces, reading and driving from the age of 35.

Shortly after, she was diagnosed with macular degeneration, a condition that affects the eye's retina and could lead to fragile blood vessels in the eye leaking blood or fluid.

Now, Mrs Riley, who suffers with disturbed sleep, is helping Oxford University researchers better understand whether different eye conditions have an impact on sleep patterns, to try and improve the care of patients who suffer from early onset vision loss.

Mrs Riley said: "I don't sleep for long periods, I can go on very little sleep which probably does affect me in the long run. The awful thing is, my good eye could go at any time."

Researchers at the Oxford Eye Hospital at the John Radcliffe are now looking for people with healthy sleep and vision to take part in the study so they can be compared to those with vision loss.

Those taking part in the study are asked to complete questionnaires about their sleep and general health.

If they are found to have sleep disturbance they may be asked to fill out a sleep diary and provide urine samples over three weeks.

This group may also be asked to wear a small watch that senses movement and light.

Lori Riley is helping with research into eye conditions and sleep patterns

It is hoped that by understanding the different impacts of eye conditions on sleep patterns, this will lead to better care and support for patients with these problems.

Oxford Eye Hospital's Professor Susan Downes, who is leading the trial, said: "I hope that as many people as possible, without any health or eye problems, [can help] with our research. We are particularly looking for adults aged 60 years and older, but do need all ages to participate if they can."

Jailed for possession with intent to supply heroin and cocaine

AN Oxford man has been jailed after being found in possession of heroin and cocaine.

Liam Bayat, 30 of Leiden Road, Oxford, appeared at Oxford Crown Court on September 15 where he pleaded guilty to possession with intent to supply class A drugs.

He has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Bayat was stopped by police in St Helen's Court, Abingdon, on July 13.

After a search of the vehicle, he was found in possession of 13 wraps of heroin.

He was arrested at the scene and in custody, a further 25 wraps of cocaine and heroin were located on him.

He was charged on the same day with possession with intent to supply class A drugs.

Following the sentencing PC Garry Dixon, of the Abingdon LPA Tasking Team, said: "Bayat was found with a significant quantity of class A drugs which would have undoubtedly caused harm and disruption within our communities.

"The drugs have now been seized and Bayat has been convicted of the offence.

"We will not tolerate the possession and supply of illegal drugs within the Thames Valley and will continue to target this sort of behaviour."

InBrief

Quick-thinking act

AN Abingdon woman has been praised by the fire service after her quick thinking prevented a fire from destroying her house.

Oxfordshire Fire and Rescue Service was called to the Eason Drive home at 10.30am on Friday.

Firefighters used breathing apparatus and took hoses and high-pressure fans inside to tackle the blaze which the fire service said could have caused much more damage had the woman not closed the first floor bedroom.

Watch manager Neil Priestly said: "The lady reacted very quickly, she shut the door on the fire, got out and called 999. This helped us enormously to get there quickly and contain the fire."

Two occupants of the house suffered smoke inhalation and required treatment. The cause of the fire is being investigated.

Protester arrested

AN Oxfordshire man was arrested after Greenpeace activists climbed aboard a ship carrying diesel cars.

The 46-year-old from Cleveley, near Chipping Norton, was arrested last Thursday on suspicion of entering a vessel and was one of five apprehended in total. He has been bailed until October 19.

The protest at Sheerness port, on the Isle of Sheppey, was against the importing of diesel cars from Germany.

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A colourful array of flowers and vegetables filled St Mary's Church

In the market for some veg

A GROUP of local producers have celebrated their 10th anniversary with a packed market earlier this month.

The weekly Wallingford Local Producers Market is one of many impacted by the town council's decision to close the Regal Centre without notice and is set to host markets at St Mary's Church until Christmas.

But the inconvenience caused didn't hold the WLPM back.

Chair and market coordinator Wendy Tobitt said: "The stallholders are fitting in to the church very well and customers tell us they like the atmosphere.

"WLPM proves that local many people want to buy locally-produced fresh and high quality meat, bread, eggs, vegetables and prepared food and beautiful crafts."

The WLPM 10th anniversary cake was cut by Matt Cockman, chef/patron of The Partridge in Wallingford and champion of local produce.

Unearthing the history around and beneath us

By George Welch

HISTORY buffs have a chance to witness 20 years of treasure at a new exhibition celebrating the most amazing historical discoveries by Oxfordshire treasure hunters.

Featuring objects from ancient pottery and gold coins to Iron Age jewellery and Elizabethan rings, the Oxfordshire Museum display reveals the stories behind some of the 30,000 archaeological objects reported in the county.

The exhibit, called 20 Years of Treasure - The Portable Antiquities scheme in Oxfordshire, marks two decades since legislation was introduced to protect significant archaeological finds.

All of the objects have been found by local people and metal detectorists across Oxfordshire.

They include treasure finds as well as items that have been recorded but not classed as treasure.

Lorraine Lindsay-Gale, the county council's cabinet member for cultural services, said: "Our knowledge of Oxfordshire's past has been greatly enhanced and the Museums Service collections enriched by the many objects found by local people and metal detectorists over the last 20 years.

"We now have an extraordinary resource for exploring our past and this exhibition is a great opportunity for visitors to come and see some of the very best of this.

"This is a real treat for anyone with an interest in local history."

Among the exhibits is a remarkable recent find by metal detectorist Tim Moody from Charney Bassett, near Wantage.

He unearthed a rare late-Roman set of 'dividers' – a technical drawing instrument similar to a pair of compasses – creating excitement in local academic circles.

The electrical consultant, who began metal detecting as a teenager, mistook the 18cm bronze item as an old tent peg and only realised the rarity of his discovery when he returned home to examine his day's finds.

Mr Moody said: "I contacted the museum and they took some pictures and got a professional artist to draw some pictures.

"The academics were thrilled and the museums service asked if they could put them on display.

"I was more than happy to donate the artefact, which is probably one of my best finds."

The exhibition at the museum in Woodstock runs until March 31.

Tim Moody with the Roman drawing instrument he found alongside Oxfordshire Museum Service's Finds Liaison Officer Anni Byard and Curator of Archaeology David Moon. Right top, the seal of Wymond de Brandon and below, a gold pendant applique

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One of city's 'beautiful streets' given overhaul

By George Welch

WORK on a £65,000 overhaul of an Oxford city centre junction has been completed.

The new-look junction of Broad Street, Parks Road, Holywell Street and Catte Street now features a 'junction table' in a roundabout style similar to Frideswide Square.

This has replaced the old traffic lights, which the county council said were beyond repair.

Oxford University contributed £35,000 and the city council £15,000 towards the project with the county council paying the remaining £15,000.

The junction, in need of a facelift due to traffic control problems in the city centre, is a gateway to Oxford University's science area.

The university used cash generated from staff parking to support the project.

Councillor Dan Iley-Williamson, Oxford City Council member for Holywell Ward, said: "This busy junction is within my ward and, since I became a councillor in 2016, I have been asking for improvements to be made to it, particularly for cyclists.

"I'm delighted to have been able to contribute towards this project, and that the city council, county council and Oxford University have come together to help make it happen.

"This will be a real improvement and will make it easier for all road users to navigate what is one of the city's most beautiful streets."

Councillor Yvonne Constance, the county council's cabinet member for the environment, said: "The new look is far more in keeping with the area and the junction table reduces the speed of traffic.

"People who travel through the junction have been getting used to the new layout during the construction and the feedback has been positive. Hopefully now it is all finished people will really see the benefits."

Cllr Alex Hollingsworth; Nick Brown, chair of the buildings and estates sub-committee at Oxford University and Cllr Suzanne Bartington cycle the new-look Broad Street

InBrief

Live-in care better

NINETY-FIVE per cent of elderly people would rather stay in their own homes than move to a residential care home when they become unable to care for themselves, according to a new report.

Research by the Live-In Care Hub, a not-for-profit organisation that helps raise the quality of elderly care in the UK, says live-in care is a better alternative to a residential care home for the elderly.

The Live-In Care Hub has three bases in Oxfordshire, including Oxford Aunts, Acquire Care in Headington and Mumbys Homecare in Abingdon.

Co-founder Dominique Kent said: "The report reveals that care in their own home is preferable for almost all elderly people.

"Our mission is to raise awareness of live-in care as a better alternative to a care home."

Visit www.liveincarehub.co.uk for more information.

Fair to go ahead

THE October Thame Fair will go ahead after an agreement was reached between Thame Town Council and the London and Home Counties section of the Showmen's Guild.

It comes after the town's September fair was cancelled after a row over a rent increase.

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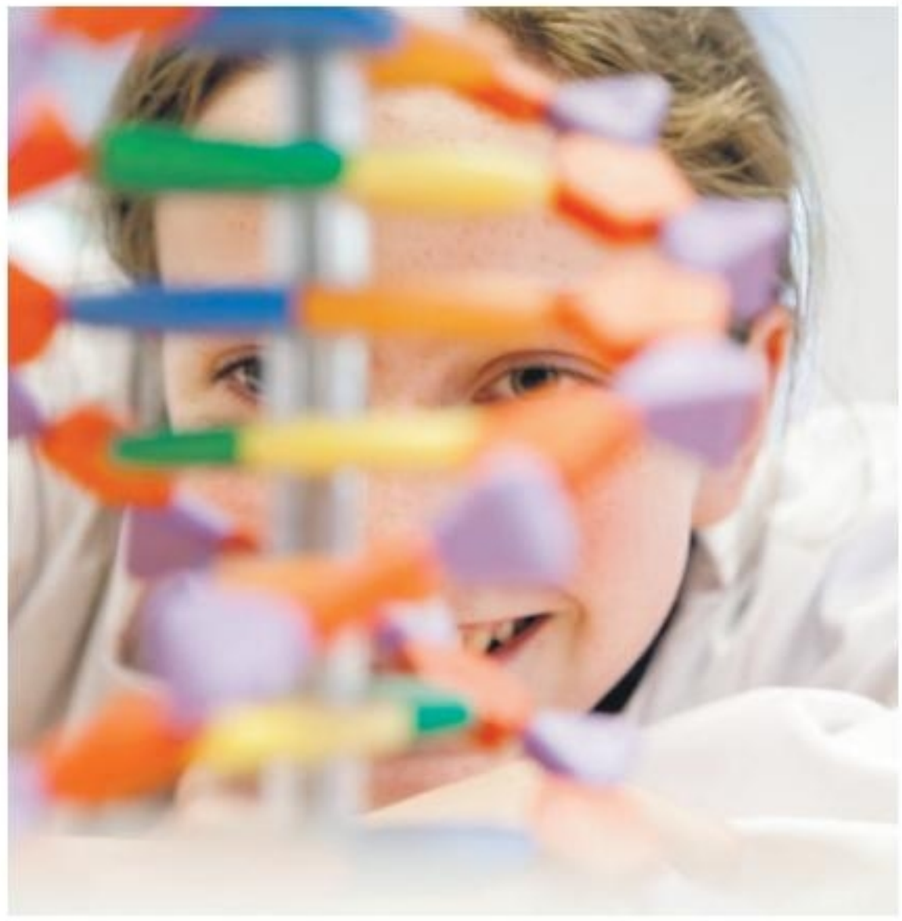

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New gym offering 'maximum results from minimum input'

By George Welch

LETS face it, most of us want to get fit but dread hitting the treadmill.

But strenuous exercise could be a thing of the past after a new clinically designed gym promising to 'maximise outcomes but minimise input' opened in Summertown.

Claiming to be the world's first 'health gym', Viavi:Be opened nearly two months ago but was formally launched last week by Embarrassing Bodies star Dr Christian Jessen and former X Factor contestant Stacey Solomon.

Due to the tailored and scientifically advanced methods used, the gym promises just 35 minutes of exercise twice a week will deliver 'meaningful' results.

The Banbury Road gym is primarily targeted at the 40+ age range after a government report highlighted that exercise tends to tail-off at this stage of life.

As a result, Viavi:Be, which doesn't have memberships, has been created specifically for those wanting to address or pre-empt signs of lifestyle disease and want to become more active.

Its programme is based on four components: exercise and movement, clinical nutrition, energy recovery, and ageing management.

Dr Christian Jessen cuts the ribbon to open Viavi:Be in Summertown with former X Factor contestant Stacey Solomon and right, Dr Christian with Dr Sabine Donnai

Oxford's newest gym is the brainchild of Dr Sabine Donnai, who believes people want to exercise but struggle to fit the time in.

She said: "As a result, we begin to accept the 'inevitability' that in our middle years our health will decline.

"While we all become older, there is no reason to feel we are 'ageing' or for our health to decline – a reality that can be addressed quite easily if activity plans are tailored around the individual.

"We've designed our new health gym to achieve the maximum result from the minimum input.

"You can use the gym for only 35 minutes twice a week to make a huge difference to your energy levels, to your sense of well-being and help address or prevent weight management, cardio-vascular disease, movement and suppleness and ensure we once again become the energetic person we would all like to be."

Visit www.viavi-be.com or call 01865 689214 for more information.

InBrief

Foodies feast with menu of choices

THE doors to Thame Food Festival are set to open this weekend as the event runs for two days for the first time.

Opening on Saturday at Thame Showground, the festival has a host of chefs and bakers lined up to show off their culinary skills.

Guests include MasterChef winner Shelina Permalloo, Benoit Blin and festival ambassador Raymond Blanc.

Lotte Duncan, patron and organiser, said this year's event would be "very different" from previous food festivals.

She said: "With nearly 20 demonstrations and over 180 stalls, plus the botanical gin garden, pop-up restaurant and chefs' banquet in the evening there is going to be so much going on."

For more information and tickets view thamefoodfestival.co.uk

Got a sweet tooth?

A NEW dessert restaurant is opening in Oxford.

Heavenly Desserts will sweeten up the city in High Street, Headington when it opens its doors at midday on Friday, October 20.

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Colourful celebrations for Canal Day

BANBURY is putting the finishing touches to its a colourful and fun-filled Canal Day festival.

The family fun day on Sunday celebrates the history of Banbury's canal.

The annual Canal Day celebration is a reminder that the waterway was an important factor in Banbury's growth and development.

When it opened in 1778 the canal brought wealth and prosperity to the town.

It was the M1 of its day and provided a cheap and reliable supply of Warwickshire coal and other goods manufactured in the industrial Midlands.

The canal declined as a transport route with the coming of the railways but is still busy with holiday boaters who spend money in the town's shops, pubs and restaurants.

Mayor Cllr Colin Clarke said: "Canal Day is a massive event that takes us back to days gone by.

"It is good news that we can have the event this year when all seemed lost – and with the accent on 'colour' there will be plenty of things for people to see and do."

There will be stalls and entertainment along the towpaths, and music in the garden of General Foods Social Club.

Entertainment in Spiceball Park will include falconry, go-karts, food and drink stalls plus other traders, and there will be workshops outside The Mill.

The festival had been in doubt having been cancelled in February due to planned building work on part of the Castle Quay Two expansion – which was due to have started in August, but will now take place later in the year.

The free event – organised by Banbury Town Council – will run from 10.30am to 4.30pm.

Cheque out MP's surgery at bank

PEOPLE are used to seeing their bank manager when they drop into their branch, but not their MP.

But north Oxfordshire MP Victoria Prentis set up her surgery in Banbury town centre Barclays after being offered a private room for meetings with constituents.

Mrs Prentis often held 'supermarket surgeries' in Sainsbury's cafés, but this was a first for a bank.

She said the new location was a "success" with a number of local people popping in to have a chat about issues ranging from help with visas to mental health support.

Surgeries are an important part of an MP's job, giving constituents face-to-face time with their elected representative.

Mrs Prentis said: "The setting in Barclays Banbury was ideal for meeting my constituents, particularly those with quite complex cases.

"The staff were very helpful, providing a private room to conduct each appointment in.

"I am keen to ensure that my surgeries are accessible, so holding them in places such as banks on the high street and supermarket cafés works well.

"While my diary is very busy, I thoroughly enjoy holding surgeries and meeting constituents, alongside my more rural 'pub tours'."

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Victoria Prentis MP with staff at Barclays in Banbury

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Nominate your pet heroes for medals

ANIMAL lovers are being encouraged to nominate inspirational pets worthy of winning a medal.

Pet charity Blue Cross, which has rehoming centres in Burford and Lewknor, wants to hear about hero pets from across the nation as it opens nominations for the Blue Cross Medal 2018.

If your happy hound or cute cat helps change lives they could be in with a chance of greater recognition.

Last year's winner was a five-year-old Staffordshire bull terrier cross called Romeo who regularly donates blood to the Royal Veterinary College to save numerous dogs' lives.

Blue Cross chief executive Sally de la Bedoyere said: "We want to honour the amazing things pets do for us and how they change our lives."

The Blue Cross Medal is open to pets that are assistance, serving or working animals and those that have formed life-changing partnerships or done something brave.

To nominate and find out more, visit www.bluecross.org.uk/medal.

Building mini brick wonders

By Samantha McGregor

YOU'D normally have to travel far and wide to see the 'wonders of the world' but now there's the chance to see them on your doorstep – or at least miniature versions of them.

Brick Wonders: The Wonders of the World in LEGO® bricks runs at Banbury Museum and features some of the most iconic structures of the world including the Great Wall of China and the Great Pyramid of Giza, but all in miniature.

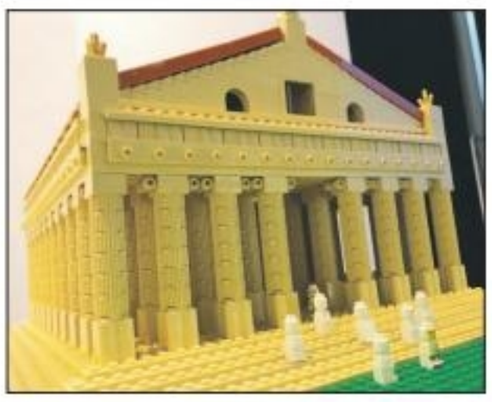
These have been made by Warren Elsmore in incredible detail using over a quarter of a million LEGO® bricks.

The wonders of the world, ancient and modern, have been packed into the museum's gallery thanks to sponsorship by Hawkins Group, a Banbury-based construction firm.

Museum director Simon Townsend said: "Having a vibrant and diverse cultural offering is a key constituent to promoting Banbury as a thriving place to live and work.

"Sponsorships, such as this, are vital to us. We are now an independent charity, and must attract new investment from individuals and companies in order to grow and flourish."

The Lego exhibits also include a reconstruction of Hawkins Group's Banbury headquarters.



Mike Hawkins, managing director of Hawkins Group said: "We are passionate about supporting and giving back to our local community and sponsoring the Brick Wonders exhibition at Banbury Museum is an excellent opportunity to raise awareness of the museum and the fantastic services it has to offer."

Throughout the exhibition which runs until November 18, visitors old and young can create their own Lego structure.

As part of the exhibition the museum's education department launched the Banbury Buildathon competition to schools last week throwing down the gauntlet to come up with their own Lego building project.

The winner will be unveiled on Saturday, November 11.

Academy trust adds another school to growing community

ONE of Oxfordshire's most successful academy trusts responsible for several schools in the county has added a second Abingdon institution to its portfolio.

Thameside Primary School on Cotman Close has converted to an academy and is the eighth academy to be run by the Vale Academy Trust (VAT).

The VAT, which converted Larkmead School, on Faringdon Road, to an academy at the start of the year, now has a shared responsibility for 4,200 young people and over 650 members of staff across south Oxfordshire.

Thameside headteacher Anna Grice said the school is 'delighted' to join the trust, adding that her staff would be able to work closely with other VAT schools "to share and further develop good practice, which will benefit our pupils and the whole school community".

The new academy currently accommodates around 200 pupils.

Simon Spiers, the trust's CEO, said: "It's an exciting moment when we see that students and staff will benefit immediately both within and outside the classroom, working with each other across different local communities to ensure standards will continue to be raised and there will be more opportunities for the young people in our care."

The chair of governors, Sharron Jenkinson, said: "This is an exciting time for all of us at Thameside. We are a good school, providing the children in our south Abingdon community with a strong start in life."

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13,000ft leap of faith

By George Welch

Right, Matthew Norris, Luke Norris and Dan O'Donnell on terra firma and above, Luke in mid-flight

THE sky was the limit for a group of heroic fundraisers who strapped on parachutes and plummeted 13,000 feet to the ground to raise money for our charity of the year.

The courageous foursome took the leap of faith and plunged at 120mph to raise funds for Play2Give, supporting its 10th anniversary appeal for Oxford Children's Hospital and Headway Oxfordshire.

Enjoying their chance to be real-life supermen, Luke Norris, Matthew Norris, Dan O'Donnell and Peter Herring helped to add hundreds of pounds to P2G's milestone year appeal.

The daring quartet made the jump over Hinton Airfield, near Brackley, on Sunday afternoon and all landed safely back on the ground.

The driving forces behind the jump were Didcot brothers Luke, 23, and Matthew, 21, close friends of P2G founder Andy Baker.

Luke, who works at Sainsbury's in the town, said: "To say I was terrified of the skydive was an understatement. I was absolutely petrified.

"But I stood by my promise and, as it's for P2G, I was only too keen."

He added: "Andy always amazes me and, despite what he lives with [a brain injury], I always remain inspired by all the great work he does, despite the challenges and hurdles he faces medically.

"I was hugely honoured to not only have played my part, despite the aches, pains and stomach churning feeling afterwards, but also being part of such a wonderful organisation and assisting Andy."

Peter, our production manager, also took on the daring descent.

He said: "It was a great experience once I got over the nerves and build up. I felt proud to be helping Andy and P2G. Fingers crossed I'll get to my £500 target."

Andy, who watched from the safety of the ground, said he is "hugely proud" of all four hardy souls.

Peter Herring with instructor Dave Luke just after landing

He added: "I know the nerves, trepidation and anticipation they suffered for months and weeks, and on the day itself, but they all did really well and they did P2G proud.

"I have huge admiration for them and they have proved themselves to be superstars taking on a heroic leap of faith to support P2G's goals this year."

To donate to the skydivers, visit the following pages: Pete Herring – tinyurl.com/yb5w6dj9 (£425); Luke Norris – tinyurl.com/y9ns6dks (£250); Matthew Norris – can donate at Luke's page; Dan O'Donnell – tinyurl.com/yaoldtex (£110)

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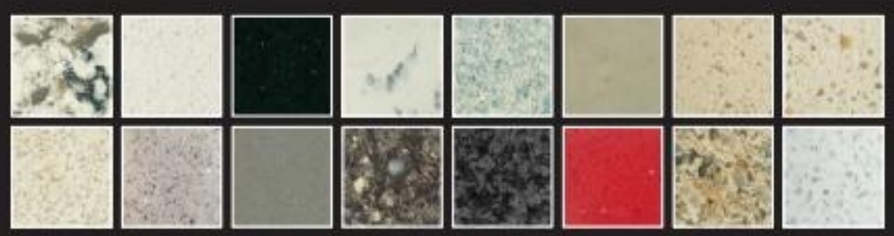

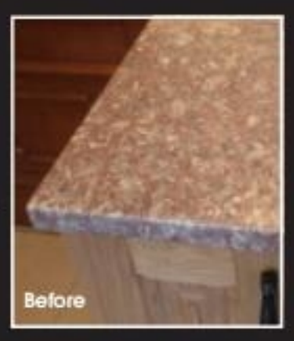

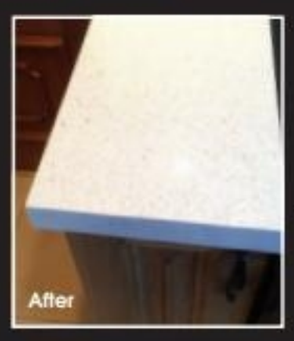

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Young apprentices show skills

By George Welch

THE new series of The Apprentice hits our TV screens next week – but there's not a chance this group of Oxfordshire school kids will hear the words 'you're fired' any time soon.

While a group of attention seeking businessmen and women battle it out for Lord Sugar's favour, pupils at LVS Oxford will embark on an exciting project of their own.

And there is no doubt billionaire and media personality Lord Sugar would be impressed with the business acumen of the youngsters, who all have a diagnosis on the autism spectrum.

The pupils will run their own business initiative alongside their lessons.

The goal of the scheme is to give students the business experience and social skills they will need to go on to lead independent lives when they leave the school.

An enterprise set up by LVS pupils last term called No 2 Things will be taken on and grown by a new group of learners who started their business studies this month.

No 2 Things' initial product collection included items such as cassette tape pen holders, decorated bottles and jars, and homemade bath bombs.

The enterprise proved a big hit with guests at a launch event earlier in the year and there are plans to expand its product range, including upcycled furniture and produce made from fruit and vegetables grown at the school.

Pupil Craig Harris, who has been involved in the project from the start, said the business opportunity has helped and will continue to improve his personal development.

He said: "I feel that being part of the No 2 Things enterprise project has helped me become more confident when it comes to working as part of a team and dealing with customers.

"I've enjoyed having an active role in the company. It's been a big hit."

Head of school Louisa Allison-Bergin added that the enterprise "has boosted their confidence, taught them new skills and given them a good insight into running a business".

Business park welcomes two clients to new premises

TWO firms have moved into new premises as major refurbishment work continues at Grove Business Park.

Weed control specialists Charlton Environmental and a wood burning stove company moved to new accommodation in Merlin House at the south Oxfordshire park this month.

Both businesses, which are already based onsite, are taking around 1,000 sq ft at £10 per sq ft on a five-year lease.

Merlin House, originally constructed as a single premise in 2003, is being redeveloped into three units with tenants being offered accommodation tailored to their needs.

Richard Lyall, project director at Grove Business Park Ltd, which owns the site, said: "We have offered two excellent existing tenants new accommodation which is a vast improvement on their current facilities.

"We are delighted they are staying with us and these strong businesses will form the foundation of our future plans for the park."

The central development of Merlin House will be available as a single stand-alone warehouse unit of 2,250 sq ft.

Stephen John, managing director at Charlton Environmental, said being based at the park with access to the M4, M40 and A34 has enabled his businesses to secure work from across the south east.

He added: "The rejuvenation of the park has been a welcome improvement and the division of Merlin House has enabled us to design a building that meets our needs for a larger and more useable workspace as we grow as a company."

InBrief

Business advice

THE Federation of Small Business Oxfordshire branch is holding a free event for business owners.

Learn about the support available to help manage and grow your organisations at the event at Bicester Hotel Golf and Spa on October 3 from 6pm to 9pm.

Book your place at tinyurl.com/yaerxbhx or tinyurl.com/y7b8baxx

Get your suits on

TIME is running out for early birds to get a discount for the Helen & Douglas House Santa Run.

The popular pre-festive season event will take place in central Oxford on December 10.

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11 arrests as restaurants raided

By Eva Astreinidou

ELEVEN people were arrested following immigration raids at two Oxford restaurants last week.

Acting on intelligence, immigration enforcement officers visited Hong Kong House, Banbury Road, and the Oriental Express in Between Towns Road on Friday.

Five men and one woman, all Malaysian nationals aged between 22 and 47, were arrested at Hong Kong House.

At the Oriental Express, officers arrested five men aged between 22 and 36, including three Indonesian nationals, a Malaysian national and a Nepalese national.

All those arrested have been found to have overstayed their visas and were transferred to immigration detention while steps are taken to remove them from the UK.

Both businesses were served with a civil penalty referral notice warning that a financial penalty of up to £20,000 per illegal worker arrested could be imposed unless the employer can prove right-to-work document checks were carried out.

Assistant Director Carol Scarr, head of the West Midlands Immigration Enforcement team, said: "We are happy to work with businesses to ensure the right pre-employment checks are carried out, but those intent on operating outside the law will be found and will be punished.

"Using illegal labour is not victimless. It cheats the taxpayer, undercuts honest businesses and cheats legitimate job seekers of employment opportunities.

"We robustly pursue debts owed by employers of illegal immigrants, and last year we collected more than £16million."

Hong Kong House was closed on Saturday after the raid by Immigration Enforcement, a department within the Home Office responsible for enforcing immigration law.

The restaurant has previously been targeted in raids in 2009.

Five people were arrested at the time, with the restaurant facing a fine of up to £50,000 for employing the workers.

At the time, Insp Dick Stratton, of the UK Border Agency, said: "This is the second set of operations we have carried out in the Oxford area in recent weeks.

"Those who break the law should take these operations as a warning - we are out there looking for you and you will get punished."

Vet honoured for animal welfare work

AN Oxford vet has been awarded a prestigious award for her international work championing farm animal welfare.

Ruth Layton, of north Oxford, has been recognised for her efforts to improve farm animal welfare within the supply chains of some of the world's most influential food brands, including McDonalds and Marks & Spencer.

She has done this by co-founding Oxford-based FAI Farms as well as Benchmark Holdings, which provide sustainable sourcing solutions for the food sector and implement better farming practices.

Ms Layton, who worked as a vet for 17 years while sheep farming across the UK, has helped reshape the policies of food brands when sourcing sustainable livestock products.

This has been done by implementing the 'three Es': economic, ethical and environmental policies.

On hearing that she was to receive the British Veterinary Association's Chiron Award, Ms Layton said: "I am truly honoured to receive this award.

"It is recognition of the hard work, determination and bravery of the individuals I have worked with over the years to challenge the status quo in the food chain.

"There was a recognition of the urgent need to improve food production systems, particularly animal welfare, and I knew this could only be made the norm if we were to collaborate with some of the world's biggest organisations.

"Thus we founded FAI Farms and the wider Benchmark Group and I'm proud to see the results in practice.

"The journey towards a sustainable food chain continues and I look forward to contributing in the years to come with a key focus on the shift from consumerism to citizenship."

Ruth Layton has been honoured for her work to help improve farm animal welfare

InBrief

Girl racially abused

RACIST comments have been made towards a 14-year-old girl in Abingdon.

Police are asking for witnesses to come forward after the racially aggravated incident on September 19 at around 8am when the girl was walking along Wootton Road. She was approached by two men and a woman.

The first offender is a white man, around 45, 5ft 10ins tall, with an average build. He has medium-length brown and grey hair thinning on top and a brown beard. He was wearing a black t-shirt, stonewash denim jeans and white and black trainers.

The second offender is a white man, around 40 and 6ft tall, with an average build and black hair. He was wearing a black t-shirt and green coloured trousers.

The white woman was around 40 and 5ft 4ins tall. She has dyed red hair. She was wearing a green hooded top and blue jeans.

Call 101 if you have any information.

Half-term discount

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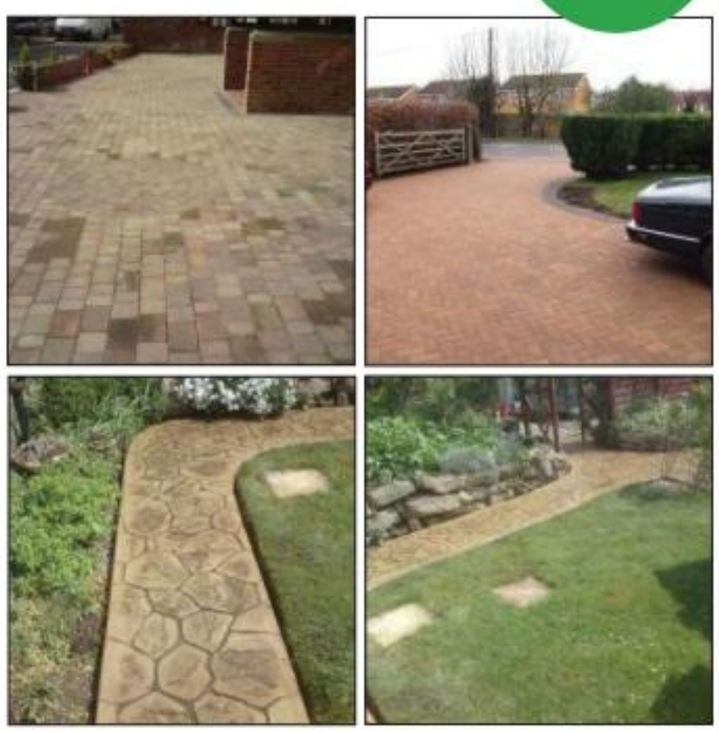

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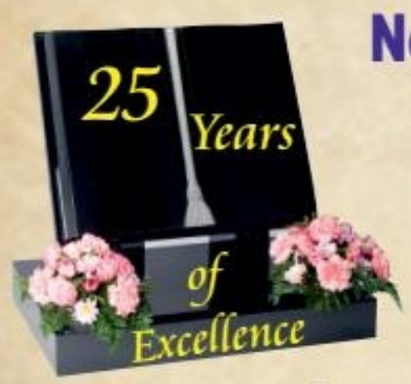

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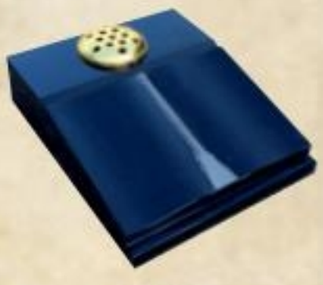

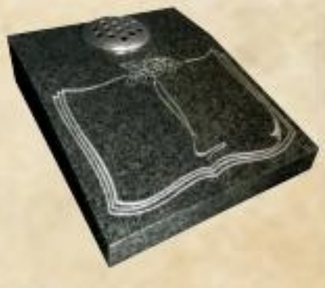

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Tuck into a literary feast

Henley's book festival is in its 11th year and has all-manner of writers to entertain

ENTERTAINMENT, history, current affairs, fiction - whatever your preferred genre of reading, the Henley Literary Festival is sure to have something to suit all tastes.

Founded in 2007, the festival has now established itself as one of the most popular literary events attracting writers and eager readers to the riverside town.

This year's festival takes place from October 2 to 8 at various venues across the town and with talks and readings from authors to celebrities to those with a passion for their subject matter.

More than 150 talks, Q&As, workshops and performances are being held.

The line-up features bestselling novelists Paula Hawkins, Roddy Doyle, Katie Fforde, Michael Morpurgo and Joanne Harris alongside speakers from politics, entertainment, sport and more including Russell Brand, Mary Berry, Phil Tufnell, June Sarpong and Chris Patten. Family events include Alison Steadman and Radio 1's Greg James with their first children's books, award-winning authors and illustrators Rob Biddulph and Steve Antony, Clare Balding and The Tiger Who Came To Tea.

The last year has featured some amazing, tragic and uplifting moments which have changed the world and you can expect to hear many thoughts on them over the course of the festival.

Learn and laugh as you hear tales of triumph and disaster and some just down-right weird and eccentric but you're guaranteed to be entertained.

Running alongside the literary festival is the children's festival which offers youngsters the chance to come face-to-face with their favourite authors and quiz them about their stories and characters.

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Acclaimed play offers tips on surviving the modern world

By Samantha McGregor

Lisa Dwyer Hogg in rehearsal as Emma

JEREMY Herrin's revival of Duncan Macmillan's People, Places & Things comes to Oxford Playhouse after a sell-out season in London.

The vivid portrayal of one woman's entanglement in addiction, treatment and self-awareness introduces audiences to Emma.

She was having the time of her life, before it spun recklessly out of control through her dependency on drink and drugs. Now she's in rehab.

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But the problem isn't with Emma, it's with everything else.

She needs to tell the truth, but she's smart enough to know that there's no such thing.

When intoxication feels like the only way to survive the modern world, how can she ever sober up?

Irish born Lisa Dwyer Hogg will take the baton from Denise Gough as Emma.

Lisa's credits include St Joan at the Lyric in Belfast, Liola at the National Theatre, and Loyal Women at the Royal Court. She has also had stints on The Fall and the BBC's Waking The Dead.

Joining her is Michael Balogun who performed in Bookshop Theatre's True West, Trevor Fox, Susan Lawson-Reynolds who was in To Kill A Mockingbird at Regents Park Open Air, Ekow Quartey, of As You Like It, at the National Theatre.

The cast also includes Andrew Sheridan, who was in Nuclear War, at the Royal Court, Imogen Slaughter, who performed in Twelfth Night, at the National Theatre, 2017 RADA graduate Aimee-Lou Wood and Matilda Ziegler, who appeared in For Services Rendered at Chichester Festival Theatre.

Described as the show everyone has been talking about, tickets cost from £15 and are available from the box office on 01865 305305 or go to oxfordplayhouse.com

It takes to the stage from Wednesday, October 11 to Saturday, October 14, following a critically acclaimed, sell-out season at the National Theatre and in London's West End.

On stage

Joanna's star is certainly rising

SOPRANO Joanna Forest is set to perform in Thame supported by the town's children's choir.

She takes to the stage at The Players Theatre, Nelson Street, tomorrow at 7.45pm, to perform songs from her debut album, Stars Are Rising.

The record made chart history by becoming the first independent artist to get to number one in the official classical album charts.

Joanna has been working with world-renowned orchestrator, conductor and pianist, Robert Emery, since 2015.

Together they created Stars Are Rising, an eclectic mix of powerful arias, cinematic classics and crossover versions of popular hits including Bowie's Life on Mars and Slade's How Does It Feel?

After studying at the Italia Conti Academy of Theatre Arts, Joanna made her West End musical debut aged just 13 performing at the Dominion Theatre, London.

She broke onto the classical music scene in 2014, when she duetted with Britain's Got Talent winner and global megastar, Paul Potts, at a charity concert in London's Palace Theatre.

Joanna has appeared on television shows across the BBC, ITV, Sky and Classic FM as well as The Royal Variety Performance.

Children from Thame Children's Choir, which was founded in 2010 and is open to children from aged seven, will perform alongside her.

Tickets cost £10 from Spear Travels, Greyhound Walk, Thame, or call 01844 217228 or view thame-players.co.uk

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Out & About

Fancy a laugh? You're spoilt for choice

By Samantha McGregor

Jeremy Hardy grumbles and rants on about modern life

STAND-UP comedian Jeremy Hardy talks death, fear and what it's like to be in comedy.

The star of Jeremy Hardy Speaks to the Nation, The News Quiz and I'm Sorry I Haven't a Clue will stop off at The Beacon, in Wantage, on Saturday as part of his autumn tour.

Jeremy, who is enjoying his fourth decade as a stand-up comedian, took time out to talk about his current live show which he says feels as though his act and material are a fair reflection of what's going on in the country just now.

He said: "There isn't a driving sense of rebellion, everything is so disparate now.

"When I started comedy there was a real sense of polarity: you had Thatcher and the miners and you took sides.

"But now people are voting on different issues and it's all over the place.

"A lot of my demographic is quite weary. I feel like I'm entertaining the troops who aren't that confident about whether they're going to survive the war."

Jeremy's career saw him rise through the 'alternative cabaret' scene of London in the early 1980s, and in 1988 he won the prestigious Perrier Award.

He has become a fixture on Radio 4 through shows such as The News Quiz and Jeremy Hardy Speaks To The Nation, and his membership of the I'm Sorry I Haven't Got A Clue team has brought him before a whole new live audience with its touring show.

Of his tour, he said: "I am talking about politics but more about how these things impact on me and affect me emotionally in terms of feeling bewildered and battered by them.

"I'm not trying to sound like an authority and people don't need to bring notebooks to the show. It's much more the ramblings and discontents of a person in the back half of life."

For more information view jeremy-hardy.co.uk/tour/

LOL at city's new comedy club

NEW monthly comedy shows are coming to Oxford and will kick off with Mock The Week and Never Mind The Buzzcocks' Ben Norris.

The New Theatre has teamed up with Laugh Out Loud Comedy Clubs to bring a new monthly weekend show to the city from Saturday, October 14.

Organised by comic Damion Larkin he has put together a stellar line-up of top comedians, many who regularly appear on television.

The former stockbroker said: "I pretty much gave it up overnight having decided to be a comedian. I had no idea how to go about it and as a result have virtually no money left but I'm still smiling.

"Seeing as the nights I run in York, Stoke and Southport are doing well after a lot of hard work and some absolutely brilliant shows, I think the residents of Oxford will love this comedy club and make it a hilarious success."

Damion said: "I'm so excited about the comedians we're bringing to Oxford as they are as good as you'll anywhere in the country.

"I'm hoping the people of Oxford will get behind it so it can become a permanent fixture for the city."

Supporting Ben Norris, *pictured*, on Friday, October 21, is Let's Dance for Comic Relief winner Charlie Baker, Never Mind the Buzzcocks and co-star with Harry Hill in Harry Hill's teatime on Sky 1, Adam Staunton with MC Damion Larkin.

The rest of the year and into 2018, the LOL Comedy Club line-up includes comedians from TV shows including BBC2's Mock The Week, BBC1's Michael McIntyre's Comedy Roadshow and Live at The Apollo, ITVs Keith Lemon's Celebrity Juice, and BBC2's Russell Howard show.

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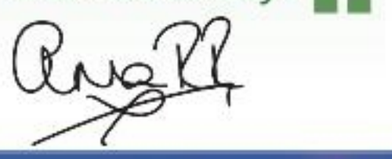

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The Park contains everything you can imagine, from giant slippery slides and bouncy trampolines to inflatable obstacles and climbing walls.

Amongst the obstacles you will find children and adults alike getting wrapped up in the Park's fun challenges and clumsy mayhem.

Britain's weather is, as everyone knows, hit and miss, however, full body wetsuits can be hired, keeping you comfortably warm in all weather scenarios.

If you fancy keeping dry while your little ones let off some steam, then you can enjoy a nice cup of tea or coffee and other nibbles from the on-site café, which over looks the lake.

The facilities are remarkably dry, very clean and easy to access.

Parents and guardians can rest assured that their loved ones will be in a safe environment as the Aqua Park hosts at least four, fully trained and professional life guard at any one time. The safety briefings are concise and easy to understand, allowing everyone to have the maximum amount of fun throughout the session.

Oxford Aqua Park is open Wednesday for Sunday and open for two weeks over the October half term holiday; with free parking on site and affordable admission costs this wet and wild activity makes a perfect day out for anyone aged six and over. Booking in advance is strongly advised due to the Park's popularity, to do so please call 07376 976734 or visit oxfordaquapark.com

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01/12/17
3 Days: £199

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01/12/17
3 Days: £389

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LINCOLN CHRISTMAS MARKET, ST NICHOLAS FAIR YORK AND MEADOWHALL SHOPPING CENTRE

07/12/17
3 Days: £199

The highlight of this tour is the famous Lincoln Christmas Market, but there is much more to this tour with a visit to York and its St Nicholas fFair plus a visit to one of the largest shopping centres in the UK. We will be staying at the luxury 4 star Hallmark Hotel Hull which has a full range of leisure facilities.

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WORDWHEEL

You have 10 mins to find as many words as possible using the letters in the wheel. Each must use the hub letter and at least 3 others. Letters may be used only once. You cannot use plurals, foreign words or proper nouns. There is at least one 9-letter word to be found.

How you rate:
15 words, average; 20 words, good; 25 words, very good; 30 or more, excellent.

DOUBLE CROSSWORD

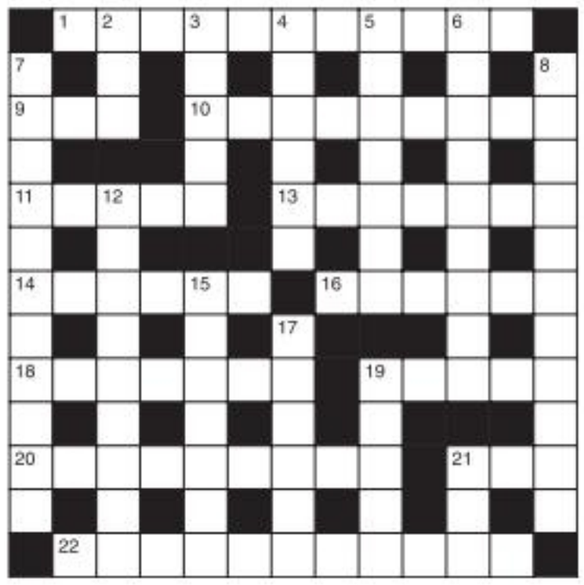
Cryptic Clues:

Across

1. Are they game to draw? (11)
9. Wife must be horsy to do so! (3)
10. He is sad in parts (9)
11. Throw out mixed peel about ten (5)
13. It is taken by tennis players and parsons (7)
14. An earth-shaking event, no doubt (6)
16. Where the cricketer gets his wrinkles? (6)
18. She uses needles to make trinket (7)
19. Made purchases from writer in street (5)
20. For corresponding musicians? (9)
21. Devotee cools things down? (3)
22. How to sit when one is peevish at not being limbless? (5-6)

Down

2. Tattery bit of student fun? (3)
3. Up to the time of the account I'll get (5)
4. Husky ashore (6)
5. He clips swelled head on listener (7)
6. Remove alien item (9)
7. Not getting enough revenue from the enterprise? (11)
8. Certainly not dull, and apparently profitable (11)
12. Forecaster cried "Port!" (9)
15. Sea-creature could be made into soup after a month (7)
17. Support for the Spanish to drive (6)
19. Shoot sprightly person first (5)
21. Doesn't quite get the sense of professional charge (3)



Quick Clues:

Across

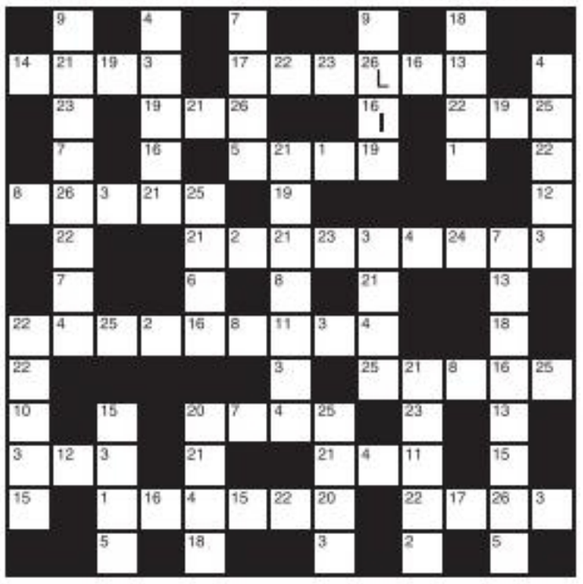
1. Give and take (11)
9. Mine (3)
10. Worsen (9)
11. Automaton (5)
13. Last longer (7)
14. Swagger (6)
16. Ascended with difficulty (6)
18. Make impact (7)
19. Explode (5)
20. Quivering (9)
21. Also (3)
22. Profaning (11)

Down

2. Devour (3)
3. Unsuitable (5)
4. Area (6)
5. Disordered (7)
6. Wayfarer (9)
7. Suitable (11)
8. Ignominy (11)
12. Swear (9)
15. Muddle (7)
17. Diversion (6)
19. Assail (5)
21. Yellowish-brown (3)

CODEWORD

Codeword is the crossword puzzle with no clues. The number in each square corresponds to a letter. Work out the words in the grid using the letters provided. Fill in these known letters first, then use skill and judgement to work out the others.



A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

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14	15	16 I	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26 L

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

DOUBLE CROSSWORD:
Cryptic: Across: 1 Road; 3 Importer; 9 Madness; 10 Foray; 11 Lose one's head; 13 Repose; 15 Trench; 17 Reproduction; 20 Exist; 21 Air-mail; 22 Paradise; 23 Less.
Down: 1 Ramblers; 2 Andes; 4 Mashed; 5 Off the record; 6 Terrain; 7 Rays; 8 Demonstrated; 12 Shingles; 14 Premier; 16 Ideals; 18 Irate; 19 Leap.

Quick: Across: 1 Exit; 3 Flounder; 9 Account; 10 False; 11 Irrespective; 13 Exotic; 15 Coarse; 17 Quantitative; 20 Climb; 21 Tillage; 22 Esteemed; 23 Pert.
Down: 1 Examiner; 2 Incur; 4 Letter; 5 Unfathomable; 6 Deliver; 7 Reel; 8 Questionable; 12 Reverent; 14 Oculist; 16 Little; 18 Image; 19 Ache.

SUDOKU:

1	5	8	9	7	6	3	2	4
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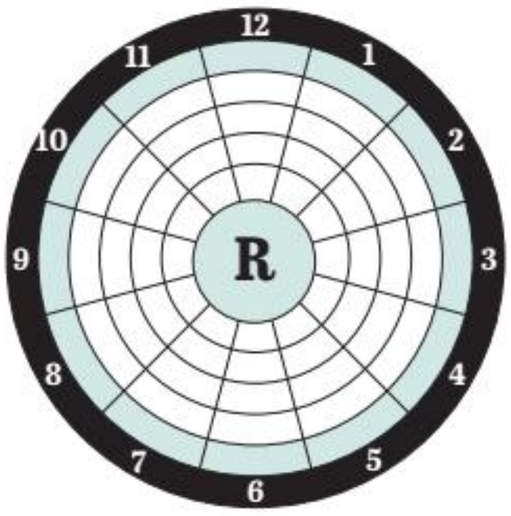
8	1	7	2	9	5	4	6	3
6	2	5	8	4	3	1	7	9
3	4	9	7	6	1	8	5	2

CODEWORD:
1=K, 2=O, 3=Q, 4=E, 5=J, 6=S, 7=N, 8=H, 9=I, 10=P, 11=F, 12=A, 13=U, 14=X, 15=V, 16=W, 17=Z, 18=C, 19=D, 20=L, 21=Y, 22=G, 23=B, 24=T, 25=M, 26=R.
WORD WHEEL:
LECHEROUS.

CLOCKWORD

The solutions from 1 to 12 are all six-letter words ending with the letter R in the centre. Moving clockwise from 1, the letters in the outer circle will spell out the name of a former England cricketer.



1. Instrument
2. Sword
3. Legendary king
4. Hand tool
5. Business
6. Parent
7. Wood
8. Fear
9. Mollusc
10. Mend
11. Tree
12. Simpler

NINER

Each number from 1 to 9 represents a different letter. Solve the clues and insert the letters in the appropriate squares to discover a word which uses all nine letters.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

THE CLUES:

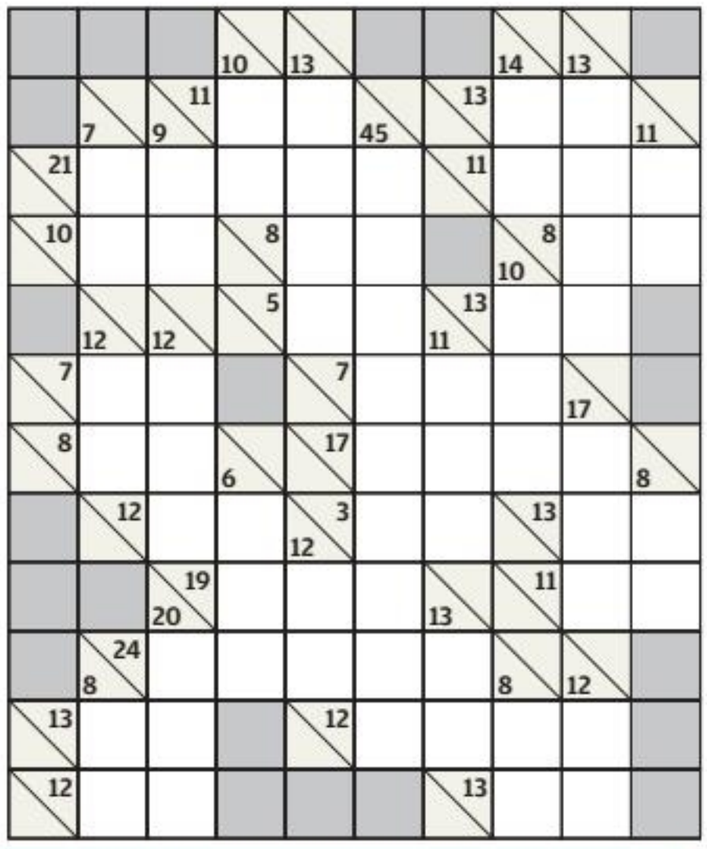
624498 gives a fish;
3711 gives a fish;
174765 gives meat.

KAKURO

Fill in the white squares with the numbers 1 to 9.

Each horizontal block of squares must add up to the number in the shaded square to its left, and each vertical block must add up to the number in the shaded square above it.

No number may be used more than once in any one block.



SPLIT DECISION

Cross out one of the two letters in each divided square to reveal a completed crossword grid.

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SUDOKU

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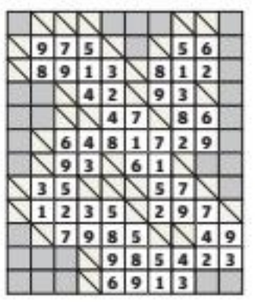
LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS

CLOCKWORD:
1 Father, 2 Rasher, 3 Author, 4 Number, 5 Kipper, 6 Shiver, 7 Killer, 8 Indoor, 9 Nearer, 10 Natter, 11 Exeter, 12 Rector.

CELEBRITY: Frank Skinner.

NINER:
SOLEMNITY.

KAKURO:



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2	9	6	3	7	5	4	8	1
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SPLIT DECISION:

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Who Cares?

Advertising Feature

Facing up to dementia: meet Mary, Joan and June

'Within the throws of youth, one feels a sense of invincibility,' says Oriane Pierrepoint, a self-taught artist who despite her youth, draws striking portraits that engage with diseases such as stroke and dementia. Because of a long-standing interest in the biomedical sciences, her portraits deliberately confront the unwillingness of society as she sees it – or some sectors within society - to recognise the difficulties faced by its most vulnerable members.

Oriane spent several months as a volunteer working with some of these individuals in a care home setting, coming to know them, their relatives and their stories: informed by listening to the experiences and memories of stroke victims and those who suffer from dementia, she then sensitively captured the declining mental state of three of these individuals in the face of dementia and the position in which they have found themselves as a result. And so in their chairs, in floor-to-ceiling charcoal portraits, you can meet Mary, Joan and June face-to-face, and read in their faces the process of ageing and its associated anxieties.

'It is often said by those in the medical/carer profession,' explains Oriane, 'that it is the hostile, untrusting and mostly vacant stare of dementia and Alzheimer patients that reveals their condition and its severity,' and she explains that the gaze is telling not only of the presence of the condition but also of the individual's experience of it, as their ability to communicate deteriorates and their minds become increasingly impenetrable.

'One of the most valuable attributes of the visual arts,' she continues, 'is its ability to transport us into an individual's situation and self.' And as an artist she asks therefore whether producing a portrait that depicts an individual with dementia is therefore an insurmountable challenge when this individual's life is slowly being dismantled, words have failed and their subject's 'self' is 'lost'?

And yet, through 'purposeful hinting' at the backdrop of the care home, in the emotive gazes of the three larger-than-life faces that hang in the Old Fire Station Gallery this month, and with the gradual fading and smudging of the charcoal lines at the periphery of her images representing the increasingly lack of clarity and withdrawal of loved ones, Oriane has successfully highlighted the challenge both of the self-loss of the individual dementia patient and the difficulties that today's society must confront. We recommend you take the time to visit and reflect, however old you are.

The exhibition Residents runs from 28 September – 4 November (Tuesday – Saturday, 11am – 6pm. FREE.)

At Arts at the Old Fire Station, 40 George Street, Oxford OX1 2AQ

There is also the opportunity for people with dementia and their carers/companions to participate in a free workshop with the artist, 'Looking at and drawing portraits,' on Tuesday 3 October, 2pm – 3.30pm: No previous experience required though please do reserve your place at oldfirestation.org.uk or by calling 01865 263990.

Words by Esther Lafferty, Day and Nightcare Assistance.

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Simple steps homeowners can take now to protect their assets.

Head of April King Legal Paul King explains why some homeowners are doing **too little, too late** to protect their hard-earned assets.

Paul King, Head of April King Legal

Care Cost Fees

"A lot of people are still unaware that if they need care in later life, their assets will be means-tested by the Local Authority to help pay for these services."

"The Local Authority will look to use the assets of a person until they get down to a lower limit of £14,250, when the Local Authority will take over the fees."

"For instance, my own grandmother sadly passed away recently at the age of 92. My grandfather had died many years earlier and left everything to her."

"When she needed care in the last six years of her life, because my grandfather had left everything to her, the house and all the estate was counted in the Local Authority's means test."

"Our clients tell us, 'We've worked hard all our lives, why should the Local Authority get it all?'"

"Just as she died, she had gone down to that lower limit of £14,250 and that's all her children inherited."

"There are many myths about the steps people can take to protect their assets from being used like this."

"The main one is that a parent should simply sign their house over to the children now, so it won't be taken into consideration for means testing. That's just not true."

"Local Authorities will actually look to see if you've 'deliberately deprived' yourself of an asset by giving property away, going back over any period in time."

"Sometimes people think that if the gift is made seven years prior then the house is safe. This is not so as the seven-year rule only applies to Inheritance Tax and not Local Authority care."

"The solution is for couples to simply not leave everything to each other in the first place."

"What my grandfather could have done is leave his half of the house in trust to his children, stating that they couldn't have it while his wife, my grandmother, was still alive. We call these Property Trust Wills."

"If my grandfather had left his half of the house in trust to the children then when my grandmother subsequently received care in her later life she would only have been means tested on her own half of the house, but my grandfather's half would have been safe."

"Why should he have to contribute his half when he didn't receive any care?"

"The important factor is that couples need to act in advance. Once one party dies or loses mental capacity, through a stroke for example, then they are no longer in a position to do this legitimate and straightforward type of planning."

"It is therefore important for couples to act now even if they may not foresee care fees being an issue."

Paul goes on to explain that most clients he sees are surprised to learn remarriage usually cancels a Will and makes the spouse next in line to inherit, ahead of their own children! Protecting your half of the house in this way, he suggests, ensures that your children ultimately inherit when the survivor dies.

"Had my grandmother remarried after the death of my grandfather the whole estate could have passed sideways out of the family," says Paul.

Lasting Power of Attorney

Paul explains how people often get confused thinking that, because they have made a Will, their executors can also deal with assets if there is illness, stroke or some other form of incapacity while they are still alive.

"Everyone should actually have two documents – a Will that deals with their estate on death, and a Lasting Power of Attorney that deals with their estate during their lifetime," he says.

"There are two types of Lasting Power of Attorney – one deals with finance, the other deals with health and welfare."

"In many ways it's similar to a passport; a document that's registered now and one which can be physically handed to the attorneys should the need arise."

"It allows the attorneys, perhaps the children, to deal with the banks and pension companies etc should their parent become incapacitated, but also to deal with matters such as where the parent should be living and how they should receive care."

"Your attorneys, again perhaps your children, must legally act in your best interests at all times."

"You can choose a number of attorneys to act, either jointly or independently, and April King advises on the various options available."

"Couples are often surprised to discover that even joint bank accounts can be frozen until the bank sees sight of a Lasting Power of Attorney document."

"Having a Lasting Power of Attorney removes the burden on children should ill health happen further down the line."

"It helps a family deal with bank accounts and so on during a parent's lifetime and ceases on death."

"Crucially, you have to complete a Lasting Power of Attorney while you are still in good mental health."

"If someone becomes ill through say, a stroke or dementia, this option is lost and the family would have to apply for a Deputyship Order from the Court of Protection – a drawn out and expensive process."

"It is therefore a good idea for clients to plan ahead and remove any future burden from the family."

"Once again, all adults should be thinking of this, particularly when there are children or a business involved."

"It's not just something to think about when you get older, that's the challenge for us."

"People think, 'I'm not ill, why do I need to make a Power of Attorney?' But they're missing the point. This is a document that has to be done in advance."

"The Lasting Power of Attorney remains in place until you die unless you want to cancel it."

"Once it's registered, you don't have to worry if you then develop some debilitating illness. A burden has been removed from the family at an already difficult time."

Bloodline Trust Wills

The majority of April King's clients have already made standard 'Mirror Wills' with other firms before approaching the Firm. A Mirror Will is when a couple leave everything to each other on the first death, then to the children when the second partner dies. But modern family life means these type of Wills leave a lot to chance.

Explains Paul: "If I have a Mirror Will leaving everything to my wife and she remarries or goes into care after my death then either the new husband or the Local Authority are likely to inherit most, if not all, of my estate ahead of my children."

"Even if my children are named in my Mirror Will, it is by no means certain that they will inherit anything."

"Once again, this is because a remarriage would cancel the Will my wife had previously made with me and make the new husband next-of-kin."

"This often comes as a big shock to my clients who had perhaps thought that all was in order and that the family bloodline would one day inherit."

"The same is true for thinking that their children and/or grandchildren will one day benefit under a Mirror Will."

"If any of your children should die leaving everything to their husband or wife and that son-in-law or daughter-in-law should then remarry, then your grandchildren would be the ones to lose out under the line of inheritance."

"Worse still, someone else's grandchildren would be in line to receive the benefit of all your years of hard work."

"I've experienced this in my own family and I'm sure most people have had similar experiences or heard of someone who has."

"Bloodline Trust Wills give greater protection to your children."

"These type of Wills not only give your children complete control and access to the inheritance they receive from you, they also grant added protection from the twists and turns of modern family life."

"The wording in these Wills states that any money left over on their demise must pass to any children born of them – your grandchildren."

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Saturday September 30th

BBC1

DAYTIME **6.00 Breakfast** (S) **10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** (S) **11.30 The Hairy Bikers' Comfort Food** (S)(R) **12.00 Football Focus** (S) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Rugby League: Super League Play-Off Highlights** (S) **2.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **3.15 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.00 Final Score** (S) **5.10 Invictus Games 2017** (S) **5.40 BBC News** (S) **5.50 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S) **6.00 Pointless Celebrities** (S) **6.45 Strictly Come Dancing** (S)

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8 **8.50 Casualty** Connie's health concerns weigh heavily on her mind. (S)

9 **9.40 Mrs Brown's Boys** Agnes's children suspect one of them is adopted. (S)(R)

10 **10.10 BBC News; Weather;** (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.30 Match of the Day Including highlights of Chelsea v Manchester City. (S)

11 **11.55 The NFL Show** Mark Chapman presents highlights of Green Bay Packers v Chicago Bears. (S)

AFTER 12 **12.25 FILM The Salton Sea (2002) (18)** Crime thriller, starring Val Kilmer. (S) **2.00** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **2.05** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.15 How We Won the War (S)(R) **6.45 Coast** (S)(R) **7.30 FILM Herbie Goes Bananas (1980) (U)** (S) **9.00 Saturday Mash-Up!: Saturday Mash-Up!** (S) **9.10 Saturday Mash-Up!: Danger Mouse** (S) **10.00 Saturday Mash-Up!: The Next Step** (S) **11.00 Natural World** (S)(R) **12.00 Rick Stein's Long Weekends** (S)(R) **1.00 Flog It!** (S) **1.30 Mastermind** (S)(R) **2.00 University Challenge** (S)(R) **2.30 Only Connect** (S)(R) **3.00 Rowing: World Championships** (S) **5.30 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **6.30 The Big Family Cooking Showdown** (S)(R)

7.30 Front Row Street artist Bambi tours the new Jean-Michael Basquiat exhibition. (S)

8.00 Britain Afloat New series. Mary-Ann Ochota explores the history of river boats in Britain. (S)
8.30 Dad's Army The platoon decides to recruit women. (S)(R)

9.00 Stop All the Clocks: WH Auden in an Age of Anxiety The contemporary relevance of the poetry of WH Auden. (S)

10.00 Kate Tempest Presents Live poetry and performance at the BBC's inaugural Contains Strong Language festival in Hull. (S)
10.30 Later – with Jools Holland (S)

11.35 FILM The Edge of Love (2008) (15) Fact-based period drama, starring Keira Knightley, Sienna Miller, Cillian Murphy and Matthew Rhys. (S)

1.20 FILM Trishna (2011) (15) Romantic drama, starring Freida Pinto and Riz Ahmed. (S) **3.05** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 7.30 Scrambled! (S) **9.25 ITV News** (S) **9.30 Saturday Morning with James Martin** (S) **11.25 The Hungry Sailors** (S)(R) **12.20 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.25 Midsomer Murders** (S)(R) **2.25 Catchphrase** (S)(R) **3.10 The X Factor** (S)(R) **4.10 Thunderbirds Are Go** (S)(R) **4.40 Little Big Shots** (S)(R) **5.35 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **5.45 ITV News** (S) **6.00 Cannonball** (S)

7.00 The Family Chase The O'Hares from Liverpool take part in the general knowledge quiz. (S)

8.00 The X Factor: Bootcamp The contestants are shipped off to Bootcamp. (S)

9.30 The Jonathan Ross Show With guests Demi Lovato, Martin Clunes, Holly Willoughby and James Arthur. (S)

10.30 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.45 FILM American Pie 2 (2001) (15) Comedy sequel, with Jason Biggs and Chris Klein. (S)

12.40 Jackpot247 3.00 The Hungry Sailors (S)(R) **3.50 ITV** Nightscreen

Channel 4

6.55 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Practice 3 Live (S) **8.25 F1 Meets Nigel Mansell** (S)(R) **8.55 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Qualifying Live** (S) **11.45 World's Most Expensive Cars** (S)(R) **12.40 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **1.30 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Qualifying** (S) **3.30 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **5.35 Location, Location, Location** (S)(R) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 Britain's Ancient Tracks with Tony Robinson The Time Team veteran ventures along Offa's Dyke, near the England-Wales border. (S)

8.00 WWII's Great Escapes: The Freedom Trails The story of a daring SAS mission behind enemy lines in northern Italy. (S)

9.00 FILM Now You See Me (2013) (12) Crime thriller, starring Jesse Eisenberg and Mark Ruffalo. (S)

11.15 FILM Transcendence (2014) (12) Sci-fi drama, with Johnny Depp and Rebecca Hall. (S)

1.20 The Last Leg (S)(R) **2.15** Hollyoaks (S) **4.20** Location, Location, Location (S)(R) **5.15** Too Many Cooks (S)(R) **5.40** Four in a Bed (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 10.10 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S)(R) **10.45 Cats Make You Laugh Out Loud 2** (S)(R) **11.40 On Benefits: Depressed, Stressed and Repossessed** (S)(R) **12.40 Nightmare Tenants: Get Out of My House** (S)(R) **1.35 Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords** (S)(R) **2.35 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R) **4.35 5 News Weekend** (S) **4.40 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R) **6.35 FILM The Fifth Element (1997) (PG)** (S)

7.35 5 News Update (S)
7.40 FILM The Fifth Element (1997) (PG) Concluded. (S)

9.00 Football on 5: The Championship Colin Murray introduces highlights from the weekend's games. (S)

10.00 Football on 5: Goal Rush (S)
10.25 FILM Jumper (2008) (12) Fantasy thriller, with Hayden Christensen and Samuel L Jackson. (S)

12.05 SuperCasino (S) **3.10 FILM Throw Momma from the Train (1987) (15)** Black comedy, directed by and starring Danny DeVito. (S) **4.40** Access (S)(R) **4.50** Divine Designs (S)(R) **5.20** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **5.45** Chinese Food in Minutes (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.10** Emmerdale **8.40** Coronation Street **11.30** The X Factor **12.35** Take Me Out **1.55** FILM: Babe (1995) (U) Family comedy, starring James Cromwell **2.55** FYI Daily **3.00** FILM: Babe (1995) (U) Concluded. **3.45** FILM: The Smurfs 2 (2013) (U) Fantasy comedy sequel, starring Hank Azaria. **4.45** FYI Daily **4.50** FILM: The Smurfs 2 (2013) (U) Concluded. **5.50** FILM: The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey (2012) (12) Fantasy adventure, starring Martin Freeman and Ian McKellen. **6.50** FYI Daily **6.55** FILM: The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey (2012) (12) Concluded. **9.00** FILM: The Hangover (2009) (15) Comedy, starring Bradley Cooper. **10.00** FYI Daily **10.05** FILM: The Hangover (2009) (15) Concluded. **11.10** Family Guy **12.35** American Dad! **1.05** Celebrity Juice **1.50** Bromans **2.40** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **2.55** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Judge Judy **6.20** Murder, She Wrote **7.15** FILM: Death on the Nile (1978) (PG) Agatha Christie mystery, with Peter Ustinov. **8.15** FYI Daily **8.20** FILM: Death on the Nile (1978) (PG) Concluded. **10.00** FILM: Columbo: A Case of Immunity (1975) (U) Detective drama, starring Peter Falk. **11.40** Hidden Treasure **1.45** Rosemary & Thyme **2.45** Foyle's War **7.00** Midsomer Murders **11.05** My Boy Jack **1.05** On the Buses **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 The Incredible Human Journey **8.00** Wild China **9.00** Black Lake **10.25** James May: The Reassembler **11.25** Top of the Pops: 1984 **12.30** Sammy Davis Jr: The Kid in the Middle **1.30** Bombay Railway **2.30** Wild China **3.30** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Stage School **8.30** The Goldbergs **9.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **10.30** The Goldbergs **1.00** FILM: Cheaper By the Dozen (2003) (PG) Family comedy remake, starring Steve Martin. **2.55** Don't Tell the Bride **4.00** The Great British Bake Off **5.15** The Great British Bake Off: An Extra Slice **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **8.00** FILM: Volcano (1997) (12) Disaster thriller, starring Tommy Lee Jones. **10.00** FILM: Dredd (2012) (18) Sci-fi thriller, starring Karl Urban. **11.55** The Inbetweeners **1.00** Celebs Go Dating **4.00** How I Met Your Mother **4.45** Rude(ish) Tube

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.25** Coast vs Country **10.25** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **2.40** Four in a Bed **5.15** Come Dine with Me **7.55** First Humans: The Cave Discovery **9.00** The Two Million Year Old Boy **10.00** Prehistoric Mega Beasts: Croc v Snake **11.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **1.10** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **2.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **3.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats Uncut **3.50** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 A Monster in Paris (2011) (U) Animated comedy, with the voice of Vanessa Paradis. **1.00** Ramona and Beezus (2010) (U) Family comedy, starring Joey King. **3.05** Thunderbirds Are Go! (1966) (U) Puppet adventure, with the voice of Shane Rimmer. **4.55** Dr Dolittle (1998) (PG) Comedy, starring Eddie Murphy. **6.35** The Day After Tomorrow (2004) (12) Disaster thriller, starring Jake Gyllenhaal and Dennis Quaid. **9.00** Transformers: Dark of the Moon (2011) (12) Sci-fi adventure sequel, starring Shia LaBeouf. **12.00** Underworld: Rise of the Lycans (2009) (18) **1.45** Come Drink with Me (1966) (15) **3.45** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.10** Top Gear **8.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge **9.00** Top Gear **10.00** Brojects **11.00** Top Gear **1.00** Traffic Cops **3.00** Top Gear **5.00** Would I Lie to You? **7.00** Red Dwarf **9.00** FILM: Black Hawk Down (2001) (15) Fact-based military drama, starring Josh Hartnett. **12.00** Dave Gorman: Modern Life Is Goodish **1.00** QI XL **2.55** Parks and Recreation **4.00** Home Shopping

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.10 Garrow's Law **9.00** All Creatures Great and Small **11.00** Sharpe **1.00** When the Boat Comes In **4.00** The Mrs Bradley Mysteries **5.00** The Brokenwood Mysteries **7.00** Sue Thomas: FBEye **8.00** Murdoch Mysteries **9.00** Shetland **10.20** Waking the Dead **12.45** Sharpe **2.45** Garrow's Law **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Wild Things **7.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **8.30** Soccer AM: The Best Bits **9.00** PL Prediction Show **9.30** Premier League Preview **10.00** Soccer AM **11.30** The Next Jamie Vardy **12.30** Football's Funniest Moments **1.00** Gillette Soccer Saturday **5.15** PL Greatest Games **5.30** Modern Family **8.00** A League of Their Own **9.00** FILM: K-19: The Widowmaker (2002) (12) Fact-based thriller, starring Harrison Ford and Liam Neeson. **11.35** The Russell Howard Hour **12.35** Stella **1.35** Most Daring **2.35** Hawaii Five-0 **3.35** Road Wars **4.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **7.50** The British **10.40** The Putin Interviews **1.00** House **4.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Game of Thrones **11.20** Ballers **11.55** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **12.30** Real Time with Bill Maher **1.40** The Wire **2.50** The Putin Interviews **4.00** The British **5.00** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109

6.15 Judge Faith **7.00** The Bill **12.00** EastEnders **2.40** Tipping Point: Lucky Stars **5.40** The Secret Life of the Ballroom **6.40** My Family **7.20** My Family Christmas Special **8.00** John Bishop: In Conversation with Jimmy Carr **9.00** FILM: The Pelican Brief (1993) (12) Legal thriller, starring Julia Roberts. **11.50** Louis Theroux – A Place for Paedophiles. Life inside Coalinga State Hospital in California. **12.50** Babies: Special Delivery **1.50** Your Home in Their Hands **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.10 The Interviews **8.00** Goodnight Sweetheart **9.20** Lucky Feller **9.55** The Piglet Files **10.25** A Sharp Intake of Breath **11.00** Butterflies **11.40** Only Fools and Horses **2.20** Rock & Chips **3.40** Only Fools and Horses **1.15** Goodnight Sweetheart **2.25** Harry Hill's TV Burp **2.50** Big School **3.25** Bob Monkhouse: On the Spot **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY SPORTS MAIN EVENT SKY: 401

6.00 Through the Night **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **9.00** Live Formula 1. The Malaysian Grand Prix qualifying session (Start-time 10.00am). **11.30** Live Premier League. Huddersfield Town v Tottenham Hotspur (kick-off 12.30pm). **3.00** Live Super League Million Pound Game. Coverage of the game (kick-off TBA). **5.30** Live EFL. Reading v Norwich City (kick-off 5.30pm). **7.40** Live Fight Night. Paul Butler v Stuart Hall. **11.30** Live Rugby Championship. Argentina v New Zealand (kick-off 11.40pm). **1.45** Super League Million Pound Game **2.00** Through the Night

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BBC1

DAYTIME

6.00 Breakfast (S) **7.35 Match of the Day** (S)(R) **9.00 The Andrew Marr Show** (S) **10.00 Sunday Morning Live** (S) **11.00 Sunday Politics** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Money for Nothing** (S)(R) **2.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.00 Points of View** (S) **3.15 Songs of Praise** (S) **3.50 How to Stay Young** (S)(R) **4.50 Invictus Games 2017** (S) **5.50 BBC News** (S) **6.05 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S) **6.15 Countryfile** (S)

7

7.15 Strictly Come Dancing: The Results The two least successful couples face elimination via this year's first dance-off. (S)

8

8.00 Antiques Roadshow Fiona Bruce presents the show from Minehead Railway Station. (S)

9

9.00 The Last Post New series. Drama about military police in a British colony. (S)

10

10.00 BBC News (S)
10.20 BBC Regional News; Weather (S)
10.30 Match of the Day 2 Including highlights of Newcastle United v Liverpool. (S)

11

11.35 The Women's Football Show A look at the biggest issues in the women's game. (S)

AFTER 12

12.10 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **12.15** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.00 Great British Garden Revival Rhododendrons and carnations. (S)(R) **7.00 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **8.00 The Beechgrove Garden** (S) **8.30 Countryfile** (S)(R) **9.30 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites – Sunday Edition** (S) **11.00 Athletics: Great Scottish Run** (S) **1.45 NFL Live** (S) **6.00 Rugby League Super League Playoff Highlights** Tanya Arnold presents highlights of the crucial clash. (S)

7.00 Russia with Simon Reeve The adventurer travels across the world's biggest country. (S)(R)

8.00 Astronauts: Do You Have What It Takes? The finalists go to the shuttle landing facility on Florida's Space Coast. Last in the series. (S)

9.00 Dragons' Den Business ideas based on fashion, coffee and boxing. (S)

10.00 Dawn French Live: 30 Million Minutes The comedienne's critically acclaimed one-woman show. (S)

11.55 FILM Isn't She Great (2000) (15) Biopic of novelist Jacqueline Susann. Starring Bette Midler, John Cleese and David Hyde Pierce. (S)

1.25 Sign Zone: Question Time (S)(R) **2.25** Holby City (S)(R) **3.25** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 7.30 Scrambled! (S) **9.25 ITV News** (S) **9.30 Best Walks with a View with Julia Bradbury** (S)(R) **10.00 Peston on Sunday** (S) **10.55 Amazing Animal Births** (S)(R) **11.25 Robson Green's Coastal Lives** (S)(R) **11.55 Bigheads** (S)(R) **12.55 ITV News** (S) **1.00 ITV Racing Live: Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe** (S) **3.30 The X Factor: Bootcamp** (S)(R) **5.00 Victoria** (S)(R) **6.00 ITV Regional News** (S) **6.10 ITV News** (S) **6.30 Tipping Point: Lucky Stars** (S)

7.30 The X Factor: Bootcamp Dermot O'Leary presents the Bootcamp stage. (S)

9.00 Victoria The queen is faced with a famine sweeping Ireland. (S)

10.05 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.20 Peston on Sunday Political magazine. (S)(R)

11.20 Liar Laura's worst fears come to pass and her hidden past is exposed. (S)(R)

12.15 Jackpot247 3.00 Motorsport UK (S) **3.50 ITV** Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

6.05 The King of Queens (S)(R) **6.30 Motor Sport: British GT** (S) **7.00 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Live Build-Up** (S) **7.35 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Live** (S) **10.00 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Live Reaction** (S) **10.45 Sunday Brunch** (S) **1.30 Formula 1 Malaysian Grand Prix Re-run** (S) **4.15 The Crystal Maze** (S)(R) **5.15 The Great British Bake Off** (S)(R) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 Escape to the Chateau Dick gets to work on the walled garden. (S)

8.00 Escape New series. Engineers are challenged to build a vehicle from wreckage in the desert. (S)

9.00 Electric Dreams: The Commuter A railway station employee meets a passenger travelling to a town that does not exist. (S)

10.05 Boris Johnson: Blond Ambition Documentary following the Conservative MP's time as foreign secretary. (S)

11.00 FILM The Three Musketeers (2011) (12) Swashbuckling adventure, with Logan Lerman and Milla Jovovich. (S)

1.10 WWII's Great Escapes: The Freedom Trails (S)(R) **2.05** Britain's Ancient Tracks with Tony Robinson (S)(R) **3.00** Location, Location, Location (S)(R) **4.00** Gillette World Sport (S) **4.25** KOTV Boxing Weekly (S) **4.55** Too Many Cooks (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 9.55 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S)(R) **10.30 Football on 5: The Championship** (S)(R) **11.30 Football on 5: Goal Rush** (S)(R) **12.00 Pets Make You Laugh Out Loud** (S)(R) **12.30 FILM Bewitched (2005) (PG)** (S) **2.30 FILM Leap Year (2010) (PG)** (S) **4.20 FILM Serendipity (2001) (PG)** (S) **5.20 5 News Update** (S) **5.25 FILM Serendipity (2001) (PG)** (S) **6.05 FILM Jack the Giant Slayer (2013) (12)** (S)

7.05 5 News Update (S)
7.10 FILM Jack the Giant Slayer (2013) (12) Premiere. Concluded. (S)

8.00 Aviva Premiership Rugby Highlights Highlights from the fifth round of matches. (S)
8.55 5 News Weekend (S)

9.00 FILM The Expendables 3 (2014) (12) Action thriller sequel, starring Sylvester Stallone and Mel Gibson. (S)

10.00 5 News Update (S)
10.05 FILM The Expendables 3 (2014) (12) Concluded. (S)

11.25 FILM Under Siege (1992) (15) Action adventure, starring Steven Seagal and Tommy Lee Jones. (S)

1.20 SuperCasino (S) **3.10 FILM Against All Flags (1952) (PG)** (S) **4.35** Chinese Food in Minutes (S)(R) **4.50** Divine Designs (S)(R) **5.20** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **5.45** Chinese Food in Minutes (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.15** You've Been Framed! Gold: A-Z **7.05** Coronation Street **10.00** 2Awesome: Guidance **10.30** 2Awesome: LA Story **10.40** 2Awesome: Cheerleaders: Steel Rays **11.05** 2Awesome: Ready, Set, Style **11.15** 2Awesome: Third Wheel **11.45** The X Factor: Bootcamp **1.15** You've Been Framed! Family Special **1.55** FILM: The Flintstones in Viva Rock Vegas (2000) (PG) Family comedy prequel, starring Mark Addy. **2.55** FYI Daily **3.00** FILM: The Flintstones in Viva Rock Vegas (2000) (PG) Concluded. **3.45** FILM: Happy Feet (2006) (U) Animated adventure, with the voice of Elijah Wood. **4.45** FYI Daily **4.50** FILM: Happy Feet (2006) (U) Concluded. **5.55** FILM: The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug (2013) (12) Fantasy adventure sequel, starring Martin Freeman. **6.55** FYI Daily **7.00** FILM: The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug (2013) (12) Concluded. **9.00** Chris & Kem: Straight Outta Love Island **10.05** Family Guy **11.30** American Dad! **1.00** The Cleveland Show **1.30** Chris & Kem: Straight Outta Love Island **2.30** Teleshopping

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Agatha Christie's Marple **7.45** Heartbeat **9.50** Murder, She Wrote **1.05** FILM: The Belles of St Trinian's (1954) (U) **2.05** FYI Daily **2.10** FILM: The Belles of St Trinian's (1954) (U) Concluded. **2.55** FILM: Columbo: Dagger of the Mind (1972) (PG) Detective drama, starring Peter Falk and Honor Blackman. **5.00** Agatha Christie's Marple **7.00** Midsomer Murders **9.00** Sunday Night at the Palladium **10.00** If I Had You **12.00** Heartbeat **1.05** The Knock **3.00** Mr Selfridge **3.50** Lewis **5.30** Judge Judy **5.50** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 Robins of Eden **7.10** Betjeman and Me **8.00** Cornwall's Native Poet: Charles Causley **9.00** Men Who Sleep In Cars **10.00** Child in Mind **11.00** Rhymes, Rock and Revolution – The Story of Performance Poetry **12.00** Acoustic at the BBC **1.00** Bombay Railway **2.00** Treasures of Ancient Greece **3.00** Darcey's Ballerina Heroines **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Kevin Can Wait **6.25** Couples Come Dine with Me **8.25** Hollyoaks **11.00** Don't Tell the Bride **12.00** My Hotter Half **1.00** The Goldbergs **3.00** FILM: Never Been Kissed (1999) (12) Romantic comedy, with Drew Barrymore and Michael Vartan. **5.05** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: The Twilight Saga: Eclipse (2010) (12) Romantic fantasy sequel, with Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson. **11.25** Gogglebox **1.35** Celebs Go Dating **2.35** Celebs Go Dating: The Finale **3.30** Hollyoaks

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Location, Location, Location **10.55** A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun **11.45** Food Unwrapped **12.00** Come Dine with Me **2.40** Four in a Bed **5.20** Come Dine with Me **7.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo **9.00** Car SOS **10.00** 24 Hours in A&E **11.05** 999: What's Your Emergency? **12.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **2.00** Car SOS **3.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats Uncut **4.00** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 The Black Knight (1954) (U) Swashbuckling adventure, with Alan Ladd. **1.00** The Boxtrolls (2014) (PG) Stop-motion animated fantasy, with the voice of Isaac Hempstead Wright. **2.50** Spy Kids 4: All the Time in the World (2011) (PG) Family adventure, starring Jessica Alba. **4.45** Von Ryan's Express (1965) (PG) Second World War action adventure, starring Frank Sinatra. **7.05** Crocodile Dundee (1986) (15) Comedy, starring Paul Hogan. **9.00** Identity Thief (2013) (15) Comedy, with Jason Bateman and Melissa McCarthy. **11.10** Your Highness (2011) (15) Fantasy comedy, starring Danny McBride. **1.15** Carlos – Part One **3.25** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.10** Sin City Motors **9.00** Traffic Cops **11.00** Top Gear **2.00** Red Dwarf **4.00** Top Gear from A-Z **6.40** Motorway Cops **8.00** Cops UK: Bodycam Squad **9.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **10.00** Taskmaster **11.00** Dara O Briain's Go 8 Bit **12.00** Live at the Apollo **1.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **2.00** Would I Lie to You? **2.35** Room 101 **3.10** Parks and Recreation **4.00** Home Shopping

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.10 The Mrs Bradley Mysteries **8.00** The Bill **12.00** Sense and Sensibility **4.00** Catherine Cookson's The Dwelling Place **7.00** Murdoch Mysteries **8.00** Father Brown **9.00** Silent Witness **11.15** Taggart **2.05** Mansfield Park **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** Futurama **10.00** WWE Raw Hits **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **4.00** Modern Family **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **9.00** The Last Ship **10.00** The Force: North East **11.00** The Russell Howard Hour **12.00** Zoo **1.00** Most Shocking **3.00** The Blacklist **4.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **8.00** The British **10.00** Urban Secrets **11.00** House **1.50** The Putin Interviews **3.00** San Francisco 2.0 **4.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Tin Star **10.00** Real Time with Bill Maher **11.10** Dice **11.45** Room 104 **12.20** Ballers **1.00** Rock and a Hard Place **2.45** The Wire **4.00** The Guest Wing

W SKY: 109

6.15 Judge Faith **7.00** MasterChef Australia **12.30** Jamie's 30 Minute Meals **1.40** Doctor Who **4.40** My Family **5.20** My Family Christmas Special **6.00** Outnumbered **8.00** The Secret Life of the Ballroom **9.00** John Bishop: In Conversation with Jimmy Carr. The comedian discusses his career. **10.00** The Davina Hour. The presenter discusses parenting issues. **11.00** Inside the Ambulance **12.00** Motorway Cops: A Traffic Cops Special **12.55** Beverly Hills Pawn **2.10** MasterChef Australia **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.10 Goodnight Sweetheart **8.20** Lucky Feller **9.00** The Piglet Files **9.30** A Sharp Intake of Breath **10.00** Butterflies **10.40** Only Fools and Horses **1.40** David Jason: My Life on Screen **2.40** Only Fools and Horses **3.50** The Story of Only Fools and Horses **4.50** Only Fools and Horses **12.30** Goodnight Sweetheart **1.45** Lucky Feller **2.15** Big School **3.25** Harry Hill's TV Burp **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY SPORTS MAIN EVENT SKY: 401

6.00 Through the Night **7.00** Live Formula 1. **7.30** Live Formula 1. The Malaysian Grand Prix (Start-time 8.00am). **10.30** Live European Tour Golf. The British Masters. **12.00** Live EFL. Sheffield Wednesday v Leeds United (kick-off 12.15pm). **2.15** Live Nissan Super Sunday. Everton v Burnley (kick-off 2.15pm). **4.15** Live Nissan Super Sunday. Newcastle United v Liverpool (kick-off 4.30pm). **7.00** Live World Grand Prix Darts. The opening day at the Citywest Hotel, Dublin. **12.00** Live NFL. **1.00** Live NFL. **4.30** Live ATP Tennis. **5.30** Live ATP Tennis.

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Hyundai IONIQ Hybrid Premium SE 1.6 GDi

'I'm not quite converted to hybrids – yet'

By **Tony Yates**

FOR this week's review – I have the Hyundai IONIQ Hybrid Premium, which I have to admit I wasn't looking forward to because I am basically a petrol head. Of course, what I actually mean is; if a vehicle is not powered by petrol or diesel, then it's not worth talking about.

Well happily the IONIQ is a Hybrid – which means it has an engine and an electric motor to power it along. That means I'm able to drive it further than the end of my street and I won't have to recharge it because the engine inside the car will pretty much do most of the hard work for me.

Don't get me wrong, I'm not totally against electric vehicles – as I do truly believe there will be a place for them in the future – but I don't think we're fully ready for this now due to our lack of infrastructure around the availability of charging stations.

So, firstly then, let's get that part sorted out – then we can begin to have some meaningful conversations about this at some point in the future. But for now, let's just get on with this week's review.

Power & efficiency

The IONIQ has an electric motor that works in combination with a petrol engine - when they are working together you gain additional acceleration, improved fuel economy and lower CO2 emissions. My test car was fitted with a specially calibrated 1.6 l GDI internal combustion engine that delivers 105 PS. The Hybrid system is also very smart which vastly improves the vehicle overall – giving you more power and a return of over 78mpg (combined) plus a top speed of around115mph.

On the road

Well, it's actually pretty good – but there are few areas where I feel the suspension is a little soft. But, then again a Bentley has a soft ride and that's a brilliant machine. The steering is also direct and the grip levels are good, which meant the IONIQ had no problems dealing with our ever increasing road network of massive potholes. Also, driving in and around town on battery power alone was as silent as a watch without a second hand.

The Hyundai has lots to commend it not least the design and technology

Design & technology

The interior is fresh and all the buttons and dials are clear. The front seats have plenty of adjustment and it only took me just a few seconds to get comfy. Try this with the seating system inside a BMW for instance, and it will literally take you hours if not days to find a suitable position. As for the boot space – well let's just say it's great. You can at a pinch fill it with a maximum load of 430 (litres, seats up) and 1,505 (litres seats down).

Inside you get all the glitter and glam which, to be honest, I would expect as it's pretty expensive to buy – but then again anything with a 'Hybrid' badge stuck to the back is the same.

Some of the additional equipment you get on the SE version includes; Automatic De-fog system for the front windscreen, Alloy Peddles, Auto wipers with rain sensor, Blind Spot Detection (BSD), Electric Drivers Seat which includes a memory function, Parking Sensors front & rear, Rear Cross Traffic Alert (RCTA), Heated rear seats, plus there's lots of standard equipment right from the off – which to be honest is more than enough.

To sum up

So, did I like it? Yes, but I'm not ready to convert to a Hybrid System quite yet. Don't get me wrong – I really do want to embrace the future – but until then I will stick to filling up my car the old way for now – with petrol.

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Oxford car dealer launches scrappage scheme

Looking for a new small car before Christmas? If you've got a car that's over seven years old to trade-in, then head down to the Brayley Kia showroom on Rose Hill.

Kia's Scrappage Scheme bonus is worth £2,000 for customers purchasing a brand-new Kia Picanto or Rio, when ANY old car is traded-in for destruction. But hurry, as the scheme is only available until the end of December 2017.

Echoing Kia's marketing leading 7-year warranty, the new scheme applies only to Kia's two smallest and lowest-emission models. It's simple and easy to understand and is guaranteed as long as the buyer of the new car is also the owner of the car being scrapped.

This means owners of cars over seven years old can upgrade to the latest safety equipment, technology and comfort offered in the hugely popular Picanto and Rio models, as well as helping to reduce emissions and saving themselves some serious money. Brayleys' takes care of the whole process and arranges for traded-in vehicles to be destroyed through regulated vehicle scrappage channels, so all you need to worry about is which model to choose.

So, if you're thinking of a new car for the New Year then now's the time to take advantage of Kia's Scrappage Scheme and bag yourself an early Christmas present at Brayley Kia Oxford.

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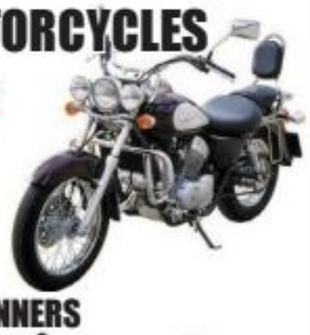

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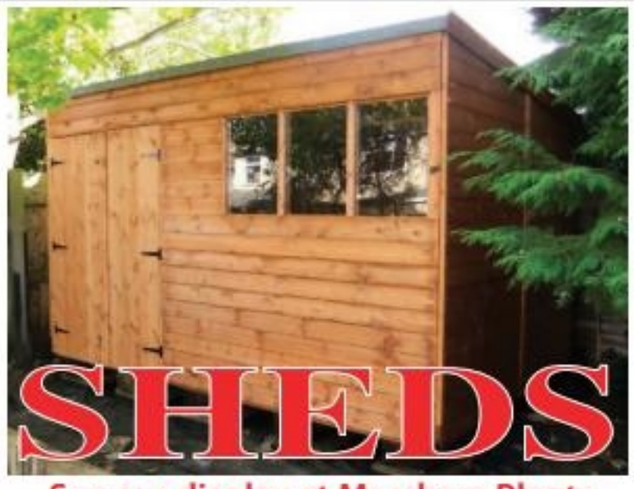

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By Adam Flinn

Renault aim for pace in last Malaysia race

Jolyon Palmer secured his best ever result in Formula One last time out in Singapore
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F1 - Renault

RENAULT are expecting to be the best of the midfield runners in Malaysia this weekend as they continue their push for fifth place in the constructors' championship.

The Enstone-based team jumped up a place to seventh last time out in Singapore, thanks to Jolyon Palmer opening his account for the season with a sixth place finish.

They are 17 points behind fellow Oxfordshire outfit Williams, who currently occupy fifth in the standings, with six races of the season remaining.

And Renault are optimistic of eating into that lead this weekend, with the nature of the Sepang circuit expected to suit their car.

Nick Chester, Renault's chassis technical director, said: "We ought to go quite well in Malaysia with the mixture of low, medium and high speed corners, and we should be the fourth quickest car again.

"The car has good pace and it looked strong in the wet in Singapore. The wet running we had is useful information for us, given Malaysia is known to throw up a few surprises with its changeable climate.

"Overall the car is working reasonably well at this stage in the season."

This year's race in Sepang will be the 18th and final running of the Malaysian Grand Prix, and has been a strong circuit for Renault over the years.

Fernando Alonso and Giancarlo Fisichella both won the race for Renault in 2005 and 2006 respectively, while Palmer scored his first point in Formula One there last year.

Palmer said: "Last year I got my first Formula One point – there are plenty of overtaking opportunities on the track so I'll be looking to make the most of it and add some more points.

"It's a cool track with a good atmosphere to match."

Nico Hulkenberg also scored his first F1 point in Malaysia when driving for Williams in 2010, and has come away with points in all but one of his races there.

He said: "It's one of the hottest grand prix of the year and we are tested and pushed to the limits.

"The track is challenging with lots of high speed corners and fast combinations. Rhythm is important around Sepang and it's a nice feeling when it goes right."

Teams have their sights firmly fixed on a better race

F1 - Haas/Williams

AFTER dropping behind Renault in the constructors' standings, Haas have set their sights on reclaiming seventh place over the rest of the season.

The Banbury-based team struggled in Singapore but did manage to score an unexpected two points through Romain Grosjean, and head to Malaysia this weekend confident of putting in a better performance.

Team principal Guenther Steiner said: "Singapore was one of the worst tracks for us but we got away with two points, so better than we expected to.

"Hopefully at the other tracks we won't be this far behind in the midfield, and we'll work hard to achieve seventh.

"In the midfield, anything and everything can happen, it's up and down all the time, so we haven't given up."

Grove-based Williams also had a difficult weekend in Singapore, qualifying on the penultimate row of the grid.

Like Haas they took advantage of a chaotic race in front of them as Lance Stroll finished eighth to score four points for the team.

They currently occupy fifth in the table, but only have a narrow seven-point lead over Toro Rosso while Renault and Haas are still within striking distance as well.

Lack of pace pushes Smith out of the points in Spain

MotoGP

BRADLEY Smith didn't have the pace of his KTM team-mates as he finished outside the points in 19th place at Aragon on Sunday.

The Oxford-born rider struggled for much of the weekend at the Spanish circuit, although his pace did pick up in the race after qualifying on the back row.

He opted to go for the soft tyre which meant he was quicker in the opening stages, but fell away towards the end. Speaking after the race, Smith said: "I'm pleased with today to turn around things from practice.

"Starting from the back row wasn't easy but with the soft tyre I could get myself into contention, the bad news is that it wasn't the best of tyre choices in the long run.

"It was a gamble but towards the end it wasn't to be as it's frustrating to miss out on a points scoring finish."

However, Smith's team-mates Pol Espargaro and Mika Kallio were able to pick up a good haul of points for the team as they finished 10th and 11th respectively.

Smith is 23rd in the championship standings with 14 points. Just four races of the season remain, the next being the Japanese Grand Prix on October 15.

Stars defeated after sting in the tail

Ice Hockey

OXFORD City Stars were unable to build on their explosive double-match winning first weekend of the season with a trip to Bracknell Hornets – but something had to give as both teams started the weekend on maximum points.

First against second was always going to be a tight affair but the Hornets were the side to maintain their 100 per cent record with a 9-6 win on Saturday.

Despite the game starting disastrously when talisman forward Darren Elliott was sent off within 75 seconds, the Stars took the lead within 10 minutes when Matt Lawday finished off a nice move.

The home side levelled when William Stead fired in a cross-shot from wide that deflected and wrong-footed Mark Duffy in the Stars goal.

Jake Florey gave Oxford the lead again before Sean Scarbrough tapped into an empty net to make it 2-2 at the first buzzer.

The Hornets were in the ascendancy in the second period with goals from Scarbrough and Steven Fisher twice giving the hosts the lead.

But they were pinned back by Kamil Kinkor and Jason Ikin goals and the teams went into the final period tied at 4-4.

Oxford lost their way in the final 20 minutes and three Bracknell goals in three minutes put the Berkshire side in charge.

Ben Ealey-Newman, Jack Tarczychi and Scarbrough, for his hat-trick, all found the back of the net between 47 and 49 minutes to land a decisive – and very sudden – blow.

Oxford's Oliver and Lawday both scored late on but they proved mere consolation after Harvey Hind-Pitcher netted another to round off the 9-6 win.

Kamil Kinkor scored to help the Stars draw level going into the final period
Picture: *Kevin Slyfield*

Eddie climbs up rankings after another good finish

Golf

Frilford Heath golfer Eddie Pepperell has improved in recent weeks

EDDIE Pepperell is closing in on his first European Tour title after securing a third successive top-five finish having tied third at the Portugal Masters.

The Abingdon golfer has now struck nine successive rounds in the 60s and enjoyed a bogey-free final round at the Dom Pedro Victoria Golf Course on Sunday.

Pepperell exploded into life on the first day and holed six birdies while only dropping one shot.

A flawless second round and four further birdies put the 26-year-old right in the mix at the half way stage with a score of nine-under par.

The Frilford Heath golfer led the tournament briefly during the third round but trailed the Dane Lucas Bjerregaard by two shots after 54 holes.

A bogeyless final round kept him in touching difference but birdies on the fifth, seventh and 15th holes weren't enough to close the gap.

However, Pepperell's win propelled him to 54th place in the PGA European Tour's Race to Dubai money list and won him a prize pot of €112,600.

The top 60 in the Race to Dubai at the end the season will play in a big-money end-of-season tournament in the Middle East.

Pepperell's improved form has also included a fifth placed finish at the Czech Masters and a third placed finish at the KLM Open, both earlier this month.

Sport

A game of missed chances

By George Welch

Oxford City

BOSS Mark Jones was left cursing Oxford City's luck after his side fell to a 2-0 defeat at Eastbourne Borough on Saturday.

The Hoops haven't won in the league in nine games – a run that stretches back to mid-August – but this was a frustrating game of missed chances for Jones' men.

Rob Sinclair struck the bar early on, Matt Paterson missed a couple of one on ones and Zak McEachran had an effort cleared off the line.

But for all their pressure, City failed to find the back of the net and endured another disappointing afternoon.

Unlike Oxford, Eastbourne had their shooting boots on and a goal in each half from Yemi Odubade (16 minutes) and Sergio Torres (49) maintained Borough's fine early-season form.

City last celebrated victory in a 3-1 FA Cup win, their only win in nine games Picture: Michael Allen

But City – who are just one place above the relegation zone after a dozen games – are already looking over their shoulders.

Yet Jones was not too downhearted after his side's seventh defeat of the season already.

He said: "I don't think we deserve that [defeat] to be honest. There were lots of encouraging parts of the performance and I think the story of the game is that they've taken their chances and we haven't taken ours.

"I think we actually had more chances than them which is really frustrating. I'm not going to criticise the players for that performance because we were unlucky."

He added: "There were a lot of pluses…but we were unfortunate."

City overcame fellow National League South side Whitehawk in the FA Cup earlier this month and will be relying on the magic of the cup again to get back to winning ways and, with a bit of luck, get their season up and running.

The Hoops host Leiston, who play in the tier below, in the FA Cup third qualifying round on Saturday.

Jones said the match against the Isthmian League Premier Division side would be "a tricky tie" but that he was looking forward to two home games.

Oxford (19th) return to league action on October 7 when they welcome Poole Town (20th) to Court Place Farm.

Vanarama National League South
Saturday 23 September
Eastbourne Borough 2-0 **Oxford City**

Evo-Stik South Premier
Saturday 23 September
Kings Langley 3-4 **Banbury United**
Tuesday 26 September
Kettering 3-0 **Banbury United**

Evo-Stik South East
Saturday 23 September
Hanwell Town 0-2 **Thame United**
Tuesday 26 September
Thame United 1-2 Beaconsfield Town

Evo-Stik South West
Saturday 23 September
Cinderford Town 0-2 **Kidlington**
North Leigh 1-2 Shortwood United
Swindon Supermarine 1-0 **Didcot Town**
Tuesday 26 September
AFC Totton 2-1 **North Leigh**
Didcot Town 2-4 Winchester City
Wednesday 27 September
Kidlington v Slimbridge

Uhlsport Hellenic League Premier Division
Monday 25 September
Binfield 1-1 **Wantage Town**
Tuesday 26 September
Abingdon United 1-8 Thatcham Town

Buildbase FA Vase second qualifying round
Saturday 23 September
Abingdon United 0-2 Welwyn Garden City
Edgware Town 4-0 **Henley Town**
Oxford City Nomads 1-5 Baldock Town
Wallingford Town 1-2aet Oxhey Jets
Wantage Town 2-0 Lydney Town

Lacklustre loss after seven-goal thriller for Puritans

Banbury United

BANBURY United put in an impressive second half performance to come from behind and beat Kings Langley 4-3 in a seven-goal thriller on Saturday.

But the Puritans were only temporarily back to winning ways as they were blown away 3-0 by league leaders Kettering on Tuesday.

Saturday's humdinger – which included six goals in 15 crazy second half minutes – will be remembered for a long time by those who made the trip to Hertfordshire.

Mitchell Weiss put Kings Langley ahead on 12 minutes – and that's the way it stayed until the floodgates opened in the second half.

Conor McDonagh (55 minutes) equalised with a low drive from 15 yards and, three minutes later, Luke Carnell (58 minutes) headed United into the lead.

But 120 seconds later and Kings' Jorrell Johnson (60) made it 2-2 with a rebounded effort.

Fast-forward another two minutes and Jefferson Louis (62) restored United's lead before Jack Self (65) gave the visiting Puritans a much-needed two-goal cushion.

Dean Hitchcox (70) reduced the arrears from the spot but Banbury held on for what will surely prove to be one of the most entertaining games of the season.

However, the joy of victory turned to the disappointment of defeat after a 3-0 loss at Kettering three days later.

Banbury were second best throughout against an impressive Kettering side that strolled to victory thanks to a first half strike from Brett Solkhon and second half goals from Ben Milnes and Rene Howe (penalty).

United welcome Shildon to the Banbury Plant Community Stadium on Saturday for the FA Cup third qualifying round.

Match report: teams must do better this weekend

Evo-Stik round up

KIDLINGTON picked up just their second win of the season as they beat Cinderford Town 2-0 away on Saturday.

Anaclet Odhiambo scored both goals, which moves Kiddy into 16th in the Evo-Stik South West table.

They were due to kick off against Slimbridge at home last night as we went to press.

However it was a disappointing week for Didcot Town and North Leigh, as both sides followed up defeats on Saturday by losing on Tuesday night as well.

North Leigh went down 2-1 at home to Shortwood United after George Seacole had given them an early lead, before losing by the same scoreline away at AFC Totton.

Didcot meanwhile had been beaten 1-0 by Swindon Supermarine on Saturday, before a dismal first half at home to Winchester City saw them four goals behind at half-time.

They did recover somewhat in the second half as George Reid scored twice in a five-minute spell, but the damage was done and they lost 4-2.

North Leigh and Didcot are 10th and 12th in the standings respectively.

In Evo-Stik South West, Thame United sit 15th after picking up three points on Saturday.

They won 2-0 against bottom side Hanwell Town, with goals coming from Daniel West and Lynton Goss.

But that was followed up with a 2-1 defeat against Beaconsfield Town on Tuesday, after Ellis Hercules had pulled them level shortly after the hour mark.

All four sides are in league action again on Saturday as Thame are at home to Bedford Town, Didcot host Yate Town, North Leigh travel to Taunton town and Kidlington welcome Bideford.

Wantage flying flag for county

FA Vase/Hellenic

WANTAGE Town will be the only Oxfordshire team flying the county flag in the first round proper of the Buildbase FA Vase next month.

The Freds swept aside Lydney Town 2-0 on Saturday to progress from the second (and final) qualifying round and set up another home tie against south Gloucestershire side Cadbury Heath as the tournament gets going for real on October 21.

However, there was disappointment for fellow Hellenic Premier League sides Abingdon United and Oxford City Nomads as well as Division One teams Henley Town and Wallingford Town, who all crashed out of the competition.

Abingdon lost 2-0 at home to Welwyn Garden City while the Nomads, despite taking the lead, were hammered 5-1 on their own patch by Baldock Town.

Elsewhere, Henley lost 4-0 at Edgware Town and Wallingford were beaten 2-1 in extra time by Oxhey Jets.

Back in the Hellenic Premier and Wantage returned to league action with a 1-1 draw at Binfield on Monday night.

Abingdon are now winless in five league games after an 8-1 hammering at home to Thatcham Town on Tuesday night.

Young players get top tips from Olympian

Basketball

YOUNG basketball players of tomorrow had to put a little extra effort into their training session as they were put through their paces by British basketball legend Drew Sullivan.

The 6ft 8in tall Olympian taught South Oxfordshire Heat Basketball Club members a basketballing lesson or two at an extra special session at Didcot Girls School on Saturday.

Sullivan, a former Great Britain captain and British Basketball League (BBL) icon, retired this year after two years at Leicester Riders, who he helped to two BBL titles, a BBL Trophy, a BBL Cup and a play-off triumph.

Now, he wants to use his experience to help the grassroots development of boys and girls in the UK.

He sat and chatted with the Under-10s before taking the older players through an intensive 90-minute training session.

Heat coach Shiv Mahalingham played against Sullivan in the early 1990s and arranged the session to help motivate the young children who train every week at the club.

Club trustee Des Dawkins, whose daughters play at the club, praised the initiative. He said: "Drew has helped inspire our players by leading a coaching session.

"He has reached the highest level of British basketball with hard work and commitment and this demonstrates to our players what they could achieve in all aspects of their life. We have never seen them so captivated or energised."

Sullivan added: "Having the opportunity to try and inspire young players is something that means a lot to me. I've benefited from many different people investing their time in me and I feel it is only right that I do the same."

We need to get basics right, says Pep after home defeat

By George Welch

Oxford United 1

Ryan Ledson 78

Walsall 2

Erhun Oztumer 32, Tyler Roberts 53

Attendance: 6,895 (402 away)

AN impressive home record against Walsall must have had Oxford United fans licking their lips ahead of welcoming the travel-sick side to the Kassam Stadium on Saturday.

But Oxford, for only the third time in 16 visits, was a happy hunting ground for the visiting Saddlers, who ended United's unbeaten home record with a 2-1 win.

A goal in each half from Erhun Oztumer and former United striker Tyler Roberts earned maximum points for a dominant Walsall, who also enjoyed their first win on the road since Boxing Day.

A Ryan Ledson penalty gave United hope heading into the final 10 minutes but the away side took advantage of a poor U's performance to collect a fully deserved three points.

United boss Pep Clotet said his team must work harder to escape the attention of opposition markers, who, the Spaniard said, have started to figure out how his side plays.

He said: "We didn't click. It's Walsall's first away victory since Boxing Day and that doesn't say much good about what we produced on the pitch.

Ryan Ledson converts his penalty to get one back but the result ultimately gave Walsall their first away win since Boxing Day. Picture: *Steve Daniels*

"We had chances but I don't think we did the basics right to take something out of the game. We have to address it straight away."

Jon Whitney's men targeted Oxford's wide areas and it was a deflected Joe Edwards cross that provided the game's first goal on 32 minutes.

The ricocheted cross looped over Simon Eastwood for Oztumer to add the final touch and give the West Midlands side the lead.

The attacking midfielder should have had more but he skewed wide when left unmarked from another cross before firing straight at Eastwood when one on one.

Eastwood was by far the busier keeper and had to be alert to keep out a low drive from Roberts.

But the Walsall striker scored what proved to be the winner against his former employers early in the second half with a tidy finish from just inside the area.

United burst into life with 20 minutes remaining when a sweet James Henry volley was expertly saved by Mark Gillespie and Gino van Kessel struck the post.

Ledson gave the U's hope on 78 minutes with a coolly struck penalty but there would be no late equaliser as Walsall held firm for their first win on the road in 17 attempts.

Victory kicks off good start to the season

OUFC Women

OXFORD United Women made the perfect start to their WSL2 campaign with a 1-0 home win against Sheffield Ladies on Sunday.

A Sheffield own goal on 60 minutes proved the match winner as the U's began the season with three points and a clean sheet at Court Place Farm.

United played well but had to call on the services of goalkeeper Demi Lambourne on multiple occasions.

The stopper kept out Holly Housley and Emma Johnson on three occasions in an exciting first half.

Oxford also threatened and Kayleigh Hines flicked wide early on before Emily Allen and Ellis Hillman were denied by Sheffield custodian Danielle Gibbons.

The winner arrived dead on the hour mark when the unfortunate Ellie Gilliatt headed a terrific Danielle Carlton cross into her own net.

Lambourne had to be alert to nullify Johnson for the fourth time in the afternoon on 63 minutes when she raced off her line to clear.

Taome Oliver could have doubled Oxford's advantage when she got an effort away from inside the area while under pressure but Gibbons was equal to her 81st minute strike.

But United held on to secure their first win of the season.

They are next in action on Sunday when they visit Watford Ladies.

Striker buoyed by scoring against old team

FORMER Oxford United loanee Tyler Roberts has admitted that his stint at the Kassam Stadium helped him find his feet in league football.

The striker, now in his third loan spell, scored what proved to be the winner for Walsall against his former team-mates in a 2-1 win at Grenoble Road on Saturday.

The Welsh youth international failed to find the back of the net in the league while on loan at Oxford in the first half of last season.

Previous boss Michael Appleton brought the 18-year-old to the club but Roberts ended the second half of the campaign at struggling Shrewsbury, where he scored four goals in 13 games to help keep them in League One.

And after scoring his second goal in three starts for the Saddlers at the weekend, Roberts feels he can finally strut his stuff.

He said: "I think [I have found my feet and felt part of a team] quicker with every loan I've had.

"It took me a while to settle in here due to the fact it was my first loan, but it got quicker at Shrewsbury and I've come here and I've settled in really well.

"It's great to come here against my former club to score and get the win."

Roberts scored two goals in his time with the U's – against Exeter in the first Checkatrade Trophy match of the season and against Merstham in the FA Cup.

Tyler Roberts scores United's fourth goal in a 5-0 FA Cup win at Merstham Picture: *Steve Daniels.*

He added: "I've come in [to Walsall] and settled in quite quick, we have a good team spirit and it's good to get a goal. It was definitely a good experience coming back here.

"It was a bit weird being on the other side of course because I haven't been back but it's been good.

"For a striker to get more goals is always going to give me confidence so I'm just happy to be scoring."

Roberts found the back of the net again in a 2-2 draw with Charlton on Tuesday.

SkyBet League 1		GP	GD	PTS
1	Shrewsbury Town	10	8	26
2	Wigan Athletic	10	12	22
3	Peterborough United	10	8	20
4	Bradford City	10	4	20
5	Scunthorpe United	10	8	19
6	Blackpool	10	4	18
7	Charlton Athletic	10	2	17
8	Blackburn	9	6	16
9	Fleetwood Town	9	2	16
10	Rotherham	10	7	15
11	Portsmouth	10	2	14
12	MK Dons	10	-2	14
13	Walsall	10	-3	13
14	Southend United	10	-3	13
15	Oxford United	10	1	12
16	Bristol Rovers	10	-7	12
17	Rochdale	10	-3	10
18	Doncaster Rovers	10	-1	9
19	Bury	10	-3	9
20	AFC Wimbledon	10	-6	8
21	Northampton Town	10	-7	8
22	Gillingham	10	-8	7
23	Oldham Athletic	10	-10	7
24	Plymouth Argyle	10	-11	5

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Gunning for better after third defeat puts U's in the firing line

By George Welch

Bury 3

Chris Maguire 64 (p), Michael Smith 70, Jermaine Beckford 72

Oxford United 0

Attendance: 2,951 (287 away)

OXFORD United boss Pep Clotet has called for calm heads after the U's hit the self-destruct button in a 3-0 loss at Bury on Tuesday.

United shook things up from Saturday's defeat to Walsall (see inside) by making three changes and going more direct – but after competing for an hour they capitulated in eight second half minutes.

Chris Maguire, Oxford's top scorer last year, netted against his former club from the penalty spot on 64 minutes before Michael Smith (70 minutes) and Jermaine Beckford (72) condemned the U's to a third consecutive defeat.

But Clotet, clearly unhappy with another defeat, believed it was the type of game in which whoever scored the first goal would claim the win.

He said: "It was a very even game, we competed very well, started the second half very strongly and we were closer to scoring the first goal than they were.

"But obviously the penalty changed the game because it was one of those games that the first one to score can win comfortably – and that's happened."

Oxford slipped five places since last week to 15th in the League One table – but Clotet has urged fans not to panic.

He said: "This is a process. There are many new faces as there weren't many players when I arrived.

"We made a lot of efforts to put a team together. This is a process that in the long run won't matter if we lose three games in a row – the important thing is that we are able to learn from this and get back.

"I suffer especially for the fans who came up here [to Bury]. We would just like them to keep believing and working with us.

"There will be history if we put it right."

United did create chances but failed to get the first goal that Clotet craved.

Bury keeper Leo Fasan, making his first league start for the Shakers, denied Rob Hall, Gino van Kessel and Alex Mowatt in the first half and van Kessel and Hall fired wide after half-time.

Noticing an improvement from a blunt performance against Walsall, Clotet added: "The team showed that we can go forward and create the chances. We struggled to attack in the last game but today [Tuesday] there was creativity in the team and we did it right.

"But at the same time I'm not happy with the result."

United travel to high-flyers Peterborough United on Saturday.

OXFORD United players enjoyed a very different type of shooting practice last week as they visited an army training camp for a team bonding trip – but they lacked the firepower against Walsall and Bury this week.

The United squad got away from it all at a three-day training camp at Gibraltar Barracks in Surrey.

The U's combined their usual training schedule with some team bonding exercises, including a chance to test their sharpshooting skills on the shooting range.

Pep Clotet, the Oxford boss, said: "With a number of new faces in the squad, we went away to Gibraltar Barracks for a few days of team building.

"It had been planned long before the Blackpool game [a 3-1 defeat] but in the end the timing was very good.

"It wasn't all about assault course and fitness. Instead it was more about getting the group together away from distractions, talking about core values and further developing the bonds that will stay strong for the rest of the season."

Ricardhino on the rifle range and Ryan Ledson joined in the team building exercises at Gibraltar Barracks. Picture: *OUFC*

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